

# Cummins Announces His Candidacy for the Presidency

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# DR. SUN WILL RESIGN

## NEW CLEWS IN MURDER MYSTERY

Story Told Under Stress of Religious Excitement Is Partly Verified  
Local Police Continue Their Investigation Into Crime at Nevada City

That the confused dream of a "dope" fiend, made public through his confession under stress of religious conversion to two missionaries, may lead to the disentanglement of a murder mystery which has been a subject of investigation in Nevada City since 1903, has become a probability in the minds of the Oakland police who have come forward to confirm certain portions of the story told by the cocaine user, and although these facts conflict in some details with the man's tale, they agree sufficiently to induce the police to continue the investigation.

The man who has started the police on the trail is Walter Urriler, transient occupant of a room in the Oakland House in Seventh street, between Washington and Broadway. Under the influence of religious emotion, induced by the impassioned exhortations of two missionaries, Urriler declared that he was the star witness of a mysterious murder committed nine years ago near Edwards Bridge on the stage road to Nevada City. He declared that the murdered man was John Frandela, a stage driver, and that the murderer was a physician. He said an innocent man had been convicted and was now serving life in San Quentin for the crime he had not committed.

**PETERSEN RECEIVES LETTER.**  
This morning Captain Walter J. Petersen received a letter from a mysterious correspondent who has asked that his identity be guarded from publicity. The correspondent declared that he was formerly superintendent of a mine in Nevada City, and that he had employed a physician, who was considered a bad character. He says the date of the murder corresponds with that given by Urriler.

A telephone message from Alameda brought the second tip on the murder mystery. This stated that a man by the name of Arthur Myers, a stage driver, had been mysteriously murdered in the manner ascribed to the murder of John Frandela. The date corresponded, but the murderer had never been discovered and the case had never been brought to trial.

This message added that W. H. Crawford of Alameda was formerly a stage driver in Nevada City and that Crawford might know something of the case, as he was working in Nevada City at that time.

**FAILS TO AGREE.**  
Urriler declared that the murdered man had been buried near Edwards Bridge, but the body of Myers was found. In another important detail the Urriler "dream" does not correspond to accepted facts. This is in the matter of the trial and conviction and sentence for life of an innocent man.

The police informed Warden Hoyle of

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## FATHER SNATCHES CHILD FROM MOTHER

Alamedan Figures in Highly Sensational Episode

ALAMEDA, Jan. 20.—A sequel to the bitterly fought divorce case of Pierce Booth and Mrs. Irene Booth transpired last night when Booth took his two-year-old daughter from the arms of his former wife on a San Francisco street and despite the cries of the woman and a large crowd which quickly gathered, escaped in a taxi and brought the child to his home at 1132 Regent street, this city.

The divorce case was tried in the Alameda County Superior court early last summer, Booth being awarded the custody of the child. Booth at that time tried to take the child from the mother, but the latter, who was then living in West Oakland, fled with her baby and has since kept the child hidden from its father in defiance of the court order. A few weeks ago Booth learned that the mother and child were in San Francisco and took steps to recover his daughter.

Several conferences between the father and mother and their attorneys were held without any conclusion being reached.

Last night Booth met his wife shortly before 8 o'clock on Guerrero street between Sixteenth and Seventeenth, and the two walked up Guerrero, turning into Seventeenth, the father carrying the child. At the curb was waiting a taxi and the father started on a run for the cab. Mrs. Booth, screaming for help, endeavored to keep her husband from taking the child away.

A big crowd surrounded the taxi, but the chauffeur drove rapidly away. The taxi drove by a roundabout way to Van Ness avenue, where Booth's mother was picked up and the taxi headed for the ferry.

On California street near Drumm street Booth left the taxi and started for the ferry. The child at this point was given into the custody of his sister, Miss Florence Booth.

On their way to the ferry the baby's white hat and white coat had been changed to a black coat and a red cap, while Booth had changed his hat and donned a long overcoat. The party expected to be intercepted by the police at the ferry, but were unmolested. Booth came home on a Southern Pacific boat, while his sister, his mother and the child crossed the bay on a Key Route ferry.

The child is now with Booth's mother and sister, who are going to take care of it for him.

## Annie Yeamans, Famous Woman Player, Is Ill

As Irish Impersonator She Delighted Audiences for 59 Years.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Mrs. Annie Yeamans, who had delighted theatergoers in the role of a rollicking Irish woman for fifty-nine years, is seriously ill at her apartments here following a stroke of paralysis.

While Mrs. Yeamans apparently is improving today, doctors fear a second stroke. Mrs. Yeamans is 76 years of age.

## Violator of Meningitis Quarantine Shot Dead

AUSTIN, Tex., Jan. 20.—George Lock was killed today for alleged violation of the meningitis quarantine at Buda, Tex., according to a report received by the sheriff here. Lock, a stockman, was en route to Buda to see his mother, when he was warned not to enter the town. He was killed on the porch of his mother's home.

## Starving Chinese Appeal to America

Presbyterian Board Receives a Cablegram Asking for \$1,000,000 in Gold.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Two million five hundred thousand famine people. Relief urgently needed. Must rely upon America, owing to revolution. China appeals to America for at least one million gold. That is the text of a cablegram from Shanghai received today by the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions.

## SUNDAY TRIBUNE MOST VALUABLE

Has this been impressed on your memory:  
THE SUNDAY TRIBUNE HAS THE LARGEST CIRCULATION OF ANY NEWSPAPER CIRCULATED IN ALAMEDA COUNTY?

That is a fact we have proved more than once. It isn't surprising, however, in the face of these features, which are contained in every number of THE SUNDAY TRIBUNE:

First comes the news, and that is taken care of by the International News Service, the wires of which cover the earth and pour reports of its activities into this office. A corps of local newspaper writers and correspondents cover the local field. Then there are Suzette's snappy comment on society; columns after column of sporting news, written and edited by experts; Lillian Russell's page of beauty talks, illustrated in colors; a front color page of what is the last word in the fashion world; three pages of pictured and written news from foreign sources, gathered by world-famous experts of the International News Service; two pages of theatricals, commenting on persons and things on Oakland's stage; four pages of comics in colors, a delight for the "kids"; business and politics reviewed by students of both and a score of other features.

There's a host of features for you! They cannot be bettered anywhere.

That's why THE SUNDAY TRIBUNE has the largest circulation.

## Cling to Sunken Vessel for 30 Hours

Four Members of Harry Prescott's Crew Rescued by Revenue Cutter Itasca.

NORFOLK, Va., Jan. 20.—After clinging for more than thirty hours to the masts and rigging of their sunken vessel, the four remaining members of the crew of the three-masted schooner Harry Prescott were rescued today by the revenue cutter Itasca, which proceeded to Wilmington, N. C.

## Revolver Shot Calls Her Husband Home

Woman Emphasizes Plea With Bullet Through Heart While Man Holds Telephone.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Ulysses Grant Hauch, an inspector in the Department of Agriculture, refused today to accede to his wife's plea by telephone that he come right home.

"Just hold the receiver a second and I think I'll convince you that you had better come home," Mrs. Hauch said.

She left the telephone, and when she returned she asked:

"Now, dearest, can you hear perfectly?"

"Yes, I can hear. What is it?"

A revolver shot was the answer. Hauch hurried home and found his wife dead. She had shot herself through the heart. He said Mrs. Hauch had been in poor health recently.

## Blood Flows in City; General Plaza Defeated

GUAYQUIL, Ecuador, Jan. 20.—Fighting occurred in the streets last evening and was kept up all night between adherents of General Leonidas Plaza and supporters of General Alfaro. The followers of General Plaza were defeated. The losses of both parties were severe.

## Government to Take Action Against Harvester 'Trust'

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Attorney General Wickersham assured the House committee on rules today that the government would take action against the International Harvester Company, congressional investigation of which is under consideration by the committee.

## Will Take Month to Reach Deposit Vaults

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—It was said today that it would take at least a month for the eight gangs of men at work on the ruins of the Equitable building to tunnel access to the vaults of the Mercantile Safe Deposit company which contain millions of valuables belonging to depositors. In the vaults is supposed to be the body of Frank J. Neider, a watchman, who was locked up there every night.

## CUMMINS AWAITING WORD

Iowa Progressive May Be a Presidential Rival of La Follette

Will Permit His Name to Go Before Convention if People Wish

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Senator Albert B. Cummins of Iowa, progressive Republican, announced his candidacy today for the Republican presidential nomination in a statement in which he says that if the Republicans of Iowa believe him a fit man to urge before the Chicago convention he will accept their decision.

The entrance of Mr. Cummins into the Presidential fight materially complicates the Republican situation.

President Taft now is openly opposed for the nomination by Senators La Follette of Wisconsin and Cummins, both progressives, while still other progressives are urging the nomination of Colonel Roosevelt.

The announcement by Senator Cummins had been expected for several days. Coming today, in connection with the report from Denver that Gifford Pinchot was taking the initiative in a movement for a conference of progressive Republicans to decide on one candidate to oppose President Taft, it started a riot of political speculation which eclipsed the ordinary activities of the government.

**SENATOR'S STATEMENT.**  
Senator Cummins' statement follows: "So much has been published in the newspapers, so much written and said to me concerning the presidential matter that I feel it to be my duty to make to the Republicans of Iowa a plain statement on the subject."

"Immediately on my return from the last session of Congress I gave out through the press my opinion with respect to the presidency. That opinion remains unaltered. The situation, however, has materially changed and it now seems probable that more than two candidates for the nomination will be seriously considered by the national convention."

"Under these conditions, if the Republicans of Iowa believe I am a fit man to be presented to the national convention as a candidate, for the presidential nomination and desire to so present me, I will appreciate and accept their confidence."

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## Blood Flows in City; General Plaza Defeated

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## Include Civil Service Law In Basis of Settlement

HAVANA, Jan. 20.—It is believed today that the basis of action agreed upon at the conference last night between President Gomez and the generals who took part in the last revolution include the immediate cessation of the veteranists agitation, the enactment of the civil service law and the pledge of all factions now to endorse for office persons formerly opposed to the cause of Cuban independence. The result of the conference has not been officially announced, however.

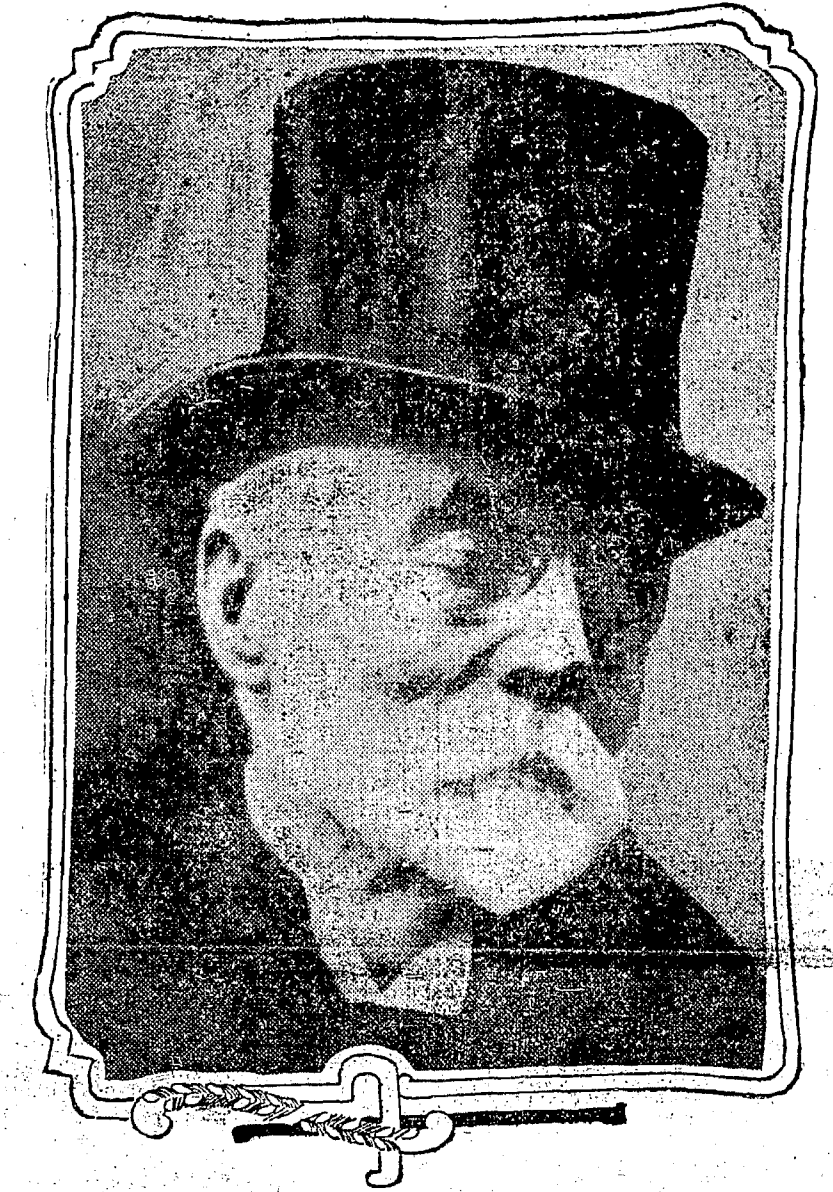
## Monoplane Carries Three Persons 3526 Feet High

PARIS, Jan. 20.—The height record for an aeroplane carrying three persons was broken today at Senlis, department of the Oise, by Aviator John Voisard, who, carrying passengers in his monoplane, attained an altitude of 1075 metres (3526 feet).

## Boy Deprived of Speech When Struck by Baseball

PASADENA, Jan. 20.—Struck on the head by a baseball last Thursday afternoon, 12-year-old Robert Brackett, son of Mrs. Mary Brackett, was deprived of his ability to speak and since that time has defied the skill of a number of physicians to restore his power of articulation. The doctors in charge of the strange case stated that the lad's power of speech was slowly returning, he apparently having great difficulty in hearing distinct sounds. The astounding feature of the case is the fact that the ball did not touch him near the vocal organs. The peculiar muteness was not attended with any mental disorder, the boy being perfectly sound in all respects.

## NEW YORK'S '400' CUT TO 300 VISITING DUKE TO IGNORE TAFT



UNITED STATES AMBASSADOR WHITELAW REID, who next week will entertain at his New York home the Duke and Duchess of Connaught.

## Whitelaw Reid Brings Eighty-Three Servants to Help Entertain Royalty

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—All New York interested in affairs social is awaiting with interest the coming of next week, which will bring with it the first visit to this city of royal guests purely on a social mission. From Monday until Thursday the most representative of the so-called "400" will extend courtesies to the only surviving son of the late Queen Victoria, his wife and daughter.

The royal guests, who will reach here from Ottawa Monday morning, are the Duke of Connaught, Canada's

new Governor-General, the Duchess and the Princess Patricia, born on St. Patrick's day, and familiarly known as Pat. They come, not as the guests of the nation, state or city, but as democratic individuals who will stay at the New York residence of Whitelaw Reid, American Ambassador to England.

**DINNER AND DANCE.**  
On Monday night the Reids will give a dinner and dance in their honor and on Wednesday night Mrs. Ogden Mills will be the host at a dinner. No more than 300 persons, it is understood, will be invited to the affairs, and there is much speculation as to just who will be honored by invitations as the best of Knickerbocker aristocracy.

The Duke is 61 years of age, and splendid in stature. A great deal of his life he has spent as a soldier. No one approaching his rank has visited New York since Prince Henry of Prussia was here ten years ago.

King Edward VII, as the Prince of Wales, paid a visit to this country in 1890.

**BRINGS HIS SERVANTS.**  
Ambassador Reid returned from England for the express purpose of entertaining the Duke and his family. He brought a staff of 83 servants with him, and he is going to do it in a style that will make England and America gasp.

The Duke of Connaught has declined two small thrones, those of Saxo-Coburg and Gotha. His Duchess was the only daughter of Prince Frederick Charles of Prussia. Princess Patricia refused to consider being Queen to the King of Spain.

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## PRESIDENT YIELDS TO YUAN

Abdication Accomplished, but Fact Is Kept From the People

Young Princes Said to Be Willing to Sacrifice Country to the Powers

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—Dr. Sun Yat Sen announced yesterday that he was willing to withdraw from the presidency of the Republic in favor of Yuan Shi Kai, according to a cablegram received by the Chung Tai Yat Po, a Chinese daily newspaper here today. The cablegram, dated Hongkong, said President Sun would step aside immediately after the abdication of the throne.

Many prominent Chinese here, for the most part strong supporters of Dr. Sun, do not doubt the authenticity of the Hongkong report, as they believe the Republican leader has in the past announced his willingness to yield his claims to the presidency if it should be found expedient.

Another cable received by the same paper told of the plundering of a large steamer en route from Canton to the town of Chen Sha by pirates. Many registered packages of foreign mail were said to have been taken.

**ABDICATION ACCOMPLISHED.**  
CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—According to a cable dispatch from Peking to the Chicago Daily News the abdication of the Manchurian dynasty is an accomplished fact and the delay in issuing the edict already drawn up is solely to prevent an uprising by the reactionary wing of the imperial family, headed by Prince Chun. It is also declared that Tien Tsin will be the temporary capital of China, while a new government is being formed.

**THREATEN DESTRUCTION.**  
NANKING, Jan. 20.—The foremost of the Republic here today declared their belief that the Manchus and the younger imperial princes are determined to bring China to ruin and dismemberment as a final despairing act.

Few persons refuse to recognize the helplessness of the Manchus struggle. Yuan Shi Kai is practically held a prisoner in Peking and poses as a champion of the Manchus in order to save his own life. He still urges a monarchy, according to the advice received here, though Tang Shao Yi, his closest friend, asserts that Yuan really favors a republic.

**NEGOTIATIONS ENDED.**  
A few days ago a complete agreement was reached between Yuan and Tang and President Sun Yat Sen and Wu Ting Fang, the minister of justice in the provisional cabinet, whereby

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## Poisoner Richeson in Fear of Death Chair

Self-Confessed Murderer Said to Be Near a Complete Collapse.

BOSTON, Jan. 20.—"The Rev. C. V. T. Richeson is in an awful state. If he should be told that commutation of the death sentence had been refused by the Governor I really believe that the words would prove a death blow," said William A. Morse, counsel for the prisoner. In an interview published here today, Morse added that Richeson is suffering from nervous shock that may mean his death before the date set for his execution.

Sheriff Quinn, the keeper of Charles street jail, disagrees with Morse, and declares his prisoner is not in any danger of collapse. He is in good physical condition," says the sheriff. "He will go from the Charles street jail alive when his time comes."

## Housewives League Plans Month's Boycott on Butter

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Appeal to the women of New York to let no butter pass their lips for the next 30 days unless the price is reduced has been made by the Housewives League. Printed appeals to "boycott butter and make the dealer come down off his high price perch" will be sent out in a statement designed especially for the rich and well-to-do. Experts here estimate that the present "butter boom" has thus far cost New York consumers about \$6,000,000. According to one statement "cold storage speculators gathered their stocks of butter last summer at 28 cents and it has cost them 2 1/2 cents a pound for storage. The balance between 25 1/2 cents and the prevailing prices, less interest on their money, represents their profits."



LINE. IT forces the badly digested food out of the body and restores tone in the stomach and bowels. Price 50c. Sold by Wehbart's drug store, 1001 Washington street.



## SYNDICATE AT LAST OFFERS 4TH AVE. PROPERTIES

Places Its Choicest Holdings Upon the Market; Big Sale Anticipated.

The Realty Syndicate has at last decided to place its Fourth Avenue properties upon the market. These holdings are in the neighborhood of The Home Club and comprise the choicest residential sites in Oakland. They have refused for years to sell the property and now that announcement has been made of the sale considerable interest is attached to the fact.

In speaking of their plans this morning Mr. Nat M. Cressley, vice-president and general manager of the syndicate, stated that they expected to sell the first parcel, consisting of approximately seventy-five lots, with practically no effort.

"We are offering these lots at exceedingly low prices and as a consequence expect to sell them very rapidly," said Cressley. "In fact, a sale investigation will prove that \$50 and \$60 are the ruling figures in the neighborhood although we expect to sell at \$25, \$30 and \$35. We will protect our neighborhood, however, by making a \$8000 building restriction so that in reality, in the long run, we will actually be making their property more valuable because we will develop the district."

"I would not be at all surprised to see these lots double in value within the next three or four years," continued Mr. Cressley. "And as a consequence are advising our best friends to take advantage of the opportunity if even from a speculative standpoint."

## FAIL TO BREAK BANKER'S WILL

Judge Zook Gives an Opinion Against Children of L. W. Forsting.

An attempt to break the trust created by the will of the late Lester W. Forsting, vice-president of the Citizens Bank of Fruitvale, has failed in the Superior Court. Judge Zook of Marin county, who was called in especially to hear the arguments in the matter, which lasted four days, has upheld the trust and will, denying the petition for partial distribution that was made by Mrs. Francis Tucker, an adopted daughter of the deceased banker. The matter was submitted to Judge Zook on November 28 and this written opinion was received today by County Clerk John P. Cook and filed in the probate department of the Superior Court. The points involved in the contest were of great legal nicety and it is thought that the matter will be carried to the Supreme Court by the contesting heirs.

Banker Forsting died December 27, 1910, leaving surviving him a son, Fredwin Forsting, and an adopted daughter, Mrs. Francis Tucker. His entire estate, amounting to \$90,000, was left in trust of "Dr. N. K. Foster, John Yule and Fredwin Forsting, to be held for the children, with minor bequests to the grandchildren. The will provided that the son and adopted daughter should not come into the estate until the son should reach the age of 50 and Mrs. Tucker the age of 50 years, they in the meantime to share equally the income from the estate.

Both son and adopted daughter were dissatisfied with the trust and engaged attorney William E. Davis and the law firm of Lamm & Menchen to attack the will on the ground that the trust provisions were illegal and constituted an unlawful restraint upon the power of alienation. In other words the attack was based upon the same ground that resulted in the nullification of the Fair will, and also upon other grounds.

The trustees were represented by Attorneys Carlos G. White and Benjamin R. Alken in their resistance to the attack upon the will. They contended that the trust was in every respect, valid, and Judge Zook sustains them in every point raised.

## TODAY IN CONGRESS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—SENATE. Not in session. Meets at 2 p. m. Monday. Former senatorial election inquiry in recess until Monday.

HOUSE. Met at noon. Commissioner of Navigation Chamberlain told the interstate commerce committee that the Panama Canal would not affect the Suez Canal monopoly of Asiatic commerce.

Attorney General Wickham in conference with rules committee said government would proceed against the International Harvester Company.

Senate bill allowing Nicaraguan President's son to enter West Point passed by House.

## TRIBUNE ANNUAL SHOULD BE KEPT FOR REFERENCE

### Scores of Persons Join in Singing Praise of the Remarkable Publication

**E**ACH day brings new praises and expressions of appreciation of THE TRIBUNE'S 1912 ANNUAL, and each day these expressions seem to grow in enthusiasm as the readers of the publication have more time thoroughly to examine the magazine. Its general attractive appearance, the convenience of its magazine form, the excellence of its illustrations and its extent have from the first merited the approval of the casual reader, but it is from the men who have had time to examine carefully the details of the publication that THE TRIBUNE is receiving the highest utterance of commendation.

THE ANNUAL is one which it has taken months to prepare from the literary and statistical standpoint, and the care with which this has been done, insuring accuracy of information as well as detail, is a feature which has come in for special praise from those readers who are vitally interested in the development of the city and county. It has been the aim of THE TRIBUNE'S publishers to issue a comprehensive booklet of this section of the Golden West, and that THE TRIBUNE feels it has succeeded in this with its ANNUAL of 148 pages is a matter of much gratification to its publishers.

In addition to the favorable comments which have been heard among the friends and readers of THE TRIBUNE in Oakland and Alameda county, THE TRIBUNE'S fellow-newspapers throughout the State are beginning to publish editorially praises of its excellence from a publisher's standpoint. Naturally these notices are pleasing to THE TRIBUNE. A number of recent comments from prominent Alameda county men are as follows:

JUDGE D. U. TOFFELMIER, of San Leandro—I have not seen anything better in the way of a boost for this section of California in a long time. THE TRIBUNE Annual is a credit to the managers of that enterprising newspaper. It contains statistics referring to the resources of San Leandro, Hayward and other nearby towns, which should make it welcome in any home in the county. Every line of the work is well worth the reading. It covers the sources and material development of this section of Alameda county in a very thorough way. Let every one interested in the economic prosperity of Alameda county towns send copies to their Eastern friends.

W. C. JAMISON, Secretary of the Fruitvale Board of Trade—Every member of the Fruitvale Board of Trade who has seen THE TRIBUNE Annual is enthusiastic in its praise. Every civic organization and commercial body in this vicinity should keep a copy on file for the benefit of visitors who wish to become acquainted with what we have to offer here by way of investment for capital and an ideal home-making climate. Extra copies should be kept to give away. The Annual is the finest ever.

L. A. BARKER, Treasurer of the Melrose Improvement Club—The Annual is a remarkably excellent piece of work, the make-up being in keeping with the admirable illustrations which give a fine idea of what Greater Oakland has done in the last few years in partially developing its unlimited resources. I shall take pleasure in sending copies to many of my friends that they may see why I am so enthusiastic in boosting for this great city.

J. C. TOFFELMIER, Merchant, Elmhurst—The Annual is a most creditable publication and should be read in the home and kept, not thrown into the waste paper basket.

E. R. DAWSON, Fruitvale Business Man—The thanks of the community are due THE TRIBUNE for the excellence of its Annual. It's fine and dandy. It's the sort of thing which makes people sit up and take notice when they look into its pages and see the wonders of this region and the prosperity of its great city, Oakland.

C. Q. RIDEOUT, Postmaster of San Leandro—It's the best thing of its kind I ever remember seeing and I can say nothing too high in its praise. Needless to say I shall send copies to friends who want to know what San Leandro is like and what its possibilities are. The articles dealing with this section of Alameda county are excellent and set forth its resources admirably. The idea of getting out THE TRIBUNE Annual in magazine form is most praiseworthy and enterprising. The Annual is in keeping with the live policy and spirit of THE TRIBUNE.

T. C. TILLMAN, Attorney, of Elmhurst—I want to say that I think THE TRIBUNE has surpassed itself in this year's Annual. A work of this kind is

than ever and should be widely circulated. It is a credit to the publishers. The profusion of illustrations in themselves tell the story of the development of Oakland in the past few years.

J. A. FENTON, Manager of the Pacific Coast Rattan Co.—THE TRIBUNE Annual reflects credit on the newspaper fraternity of Oakland. It is the best and most original publication ever edited in this State.

E. J. HOCKING, President of the Panama Tea Co.—For spicily and correct literature in regard to statistics as to Oakland's possibilities THE TRIBUNE'S Annual cannot be beaten. I have seen numbers of special editions issued, but the 1912 TRIBUNE ANNUAL eclipses them all.

G. GHIGLIERY, Manager of the Italian Popular Bank—THE TRIBUNE Annual is a credit to Oakland. For cleverly written articles and full and correct figures in regard to the possibilities of Oakland and Alameda county has no equal. I have read TRIBUNE Annuals in the past but the latest one ranks higher and is of much nearer appearance than any I have ever seen.

W. H. HICKEY, of the California Land and Water Co.—I have read a part of the 1912 annual and find it interesting and instructive. It is a credit to its publishers.

## Library Patrons Read the Annual

ALAMEDA, Jan. 20.—Here are some more opinions from Alameda as to the merits of THE TRIBUNE Annual:

MRS. M. H. KRAUTH, Librarian Alameda Library—The copy of THE TRIBUNE Annual number is attracting much attention from library patrons. Judging from the interest taken I believe that many persons who casually glanced at the number in the library will purchase copies for themselves in order to read it at their leisure and then send it away.

FRED L. KRUMB, Councilman—You can say for me that I am more than pleased with THE TRIBUNE'S Annual number. I was especially taken with the big notice given our parks and playgrounds. Instead of casually referring to them, the paper published a signed story by our own playground supervisor. That shows the right idea and perhaps contains the clue why the entire edition is a big credit to THE TRIBUNE and to the entire county.

H. C. GALLAGHER, Undertaker—I have watched THE TRIBUNE grow in quality and quantity for years and I have always regarded it as one of the best and most powerful papers in the state. About the best thing it has done to date, to my mind, is its latest annual number.

T. W. LEYDECKER, Postmaster—I am very glad of the opportunity to express my appreciation of THE TRIBUNE Annual number. I like the straight go-ahead style of the paper and I like the comprehensive way in which it has exploited the whole county in its special number.

E. M. SHAW, Real Estate Broker—THE TRIBUNE's Annual was published at a very favorable time, just as the entire east side is going ahead more rapidly than ever before. We need all the good east side literature we can get this coming year and THE TRIBUNE Annual is just the sort of literature we need.

A. W. MORGENSTERN, Secretary Alameda Elks—THE TRIBUNE is a great paper and its special edition was a number. I cannot imagine any better publicity for the east side of the bay than THE TRIBUNE gave the whole county in this splendid number.

REV. L. P. RUSSELL, Pastor of the First Baptist Church—I feel satisfied that anyone intelligently reading THE TRIBUNE's Annual can get a lot of good from it. Judging of what I know of Alameda county, I believe the paper is prepared in a conservative, trustworthy vein. It doesn't have to be sent away to accomplish good, for it would benefit a good many residents of this county to read it and learn something more than they already know of the favored section in which they live.

C. H. WEVER, Deputy Coroner—THE TRIBUNE Annual was a fine paper and I was much pleased with it.

ALBERT KAMP, Police Sergeant—I have been studying over THE TRIBUNE Annual and the paper has certainly done a good service to the whole county. I am an old-time Californian and I know considerable about this particular county, but a man cannot keep track of progress and prosperity where it is so general and so pronounced, unless the record of the growth is compiled by some enterprising paper. THE TRIBUNE has done the job nicely and the special number ought to be appreciated.

H. M. HAMMOND, Master of Oak Grove Lodge, F. A. M.—Say for me all the good things you want to about THE TRIBUNE's Annual number for it's a fine paper and I feel sure that it will accomplish a great good for the entire county and even for the whole State.

The liver loses its activity at times and needs help. HERBINE is an effective liver stimulant. It also purifies the bowels, strengthens digestion and restores strength, vigor and cheerful spirits. Price 50c. Sold by Wishart's drug store, 1001 Washington street.

## THIS IS THE WAY

The time table will run at the Oakland Orpheum all next week, beginning tomorrow at the matinee, when the wonderful new vaudeville bill has its first showing

## HEADED BY ADA REEVE

NOTE THAT EVERY ACT IS NEW!

We advise our 50,000 patrons that this is THE vaudeville bill of the year—the most expensive ever staged in the world. Get it!

## THE ORPHEUM TIME TABLE TOMORROW

NOTE THAT EVERY ACT IS NEW!

- 8 O'Clock—Operatic concert of fifteen minutes by CONDUCTOR KOWALSKI'S big Symphony Orchestra.
- 8:15—JUGGLING BURKES—A smart, amusing specialty full of zip and ginger.
- 8:30—GORDON ELDRID and Company in a hip! hip! hurrah! farce, "Won by a Leg."
- 8:50—OSCAR LORAIN, the Protean violinist, a wonderful artist with a new and brilliant idea of character work and violin playing.
- 9:18—MAUD O'DELE and Company in a striking drama, "The Hypocrite." This will stir you, and also thrill.
- 9:32—Orchestra Overture, a bit of nifty ragtime.
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## BURGLARS BOAST OF THEIR THEFTS

Confessions of Two Prisoners Leads to Arrest of Their Companion.

Boastfulness on the part of Fred Ballinger and Frank Hesketh, the two burglars captured by patrolman R. H. Lohsen yesterday, has led to the arrest of the third member of the trio and the uncovering of the activities of the gang in San Francisco and Oakland in a dozen daring burglaries. George Curran, the third member of the gang, was rounded up by Inspector William Kyle in the San Francisco Latin quarter last night, and a suitcase containing loot valued at \$30 taken from the store of R. O. Oliphant in Telegraph avenue recovered.

All three have confessed completely in the burglary of the Oliphant store. They appeared to be relieved after confessing their guilt, and made merry over some of the adventures they had gone through in their career of thievery.

"Last week we broke into a clothing store at No. 5 Market street in San Francisco, grabbed a bunch of togs and went right around the corner to a pawn shop and got rid of the lot. That was a quick job, and we got away with it pretty fine," the burglars boasted to Captain Walter J. Petersen.

The three have been engaged in store breaking for some months, and have made many successful hauls. In that time, narrowly escaping capture on several occasions. They boasted of their success in eluding the police.

Fred Ballinger of San Francisco, is the youngest member of the gang. He is also known as Fred Tonjes, and is at present on parole from the Preston school of industry. Frank Hesketh comes from St. Louis.

## BENEDICT WILL FIGHT IMMINENT

Widow Called Into Court to Account for Contents of Safety Deposit Box.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—Mrs. Emma H. Benedict, widow of Courtland F. Benedict, was examined in Superior Judge Graham's court this morning as to the contents of a safe deposit box left her in a safe deposit box by her husband. The examination was made at the instance of Mrs. Lena Holle and Mrs. Arabelle Boring, sisters of Benedict, who was a well-known millionaire of this city. It is understood that a contest of the will will be begun by the sisters. Benedict will be remembered as having brought suit against his daughter, Emilie, for a portion of the million dollars left her by his son, E. J. Benedict.

Mrs. Benedict this morning testified that Mrs. Emilie Benedict had given her husband a check for \$50,000 in settlement of that litigation and this he turned over to her.

## ROGERS MURDER CASE CONTINUED FOR WEEK

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—The trial of John S. Rogers, charged with the murder of Benjamin Goodman, a young jewelry salesman, whose dead body was found on the pavement at Oregon and Front street, was continued for one week in Judge Canby's court. Rogers has retained Attorney W. D. Cardwell to defend him, and the latter is familiarizing himself with the evidence.

## LA AMITA

## NASH GIVEN FIVE YEARS HARD LABOR

Cashier of Defunct Bank Sent to San Quentin Prison.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—W. B. Nash, cashier of the defunct Market Street Bank, was sentenced to serve a term of five years at hard labor in San Quentin penitentiary, by Superior Judge Dunne, at 11 o'clock this morning. Motion for a new trial and an arrest of judgment interposed by his counsel, Attorney Carroll Cook, and Attorney Frank Drew, were denied, and a stay of execution was granted in order that an appeal may be taken to the Supreme Court.

The extreme penalty of the law is ten years and the minimum punishment three years. Nash, who is a man well along in years, stood quaking before the bar as he received his sentence, but uttered no word. Attorney Cook represented that as the court had previously sustained a demurrer to the indictment he should grant the motion. Without comment, however, and without argument, Judge Dunne denied the application and proceeded to judgment.

Nash was convicted of violating Section 558 of the Penal Code, in making a false report to the board of bank examiners. He was indicted about four years ago, and Judge Dunne sustained a demurrer which was subsequently overruled by the Appellate court. Appeal will now again be taken and a fight made in the higher court in behalf of the accused.

## "OAKLAND YOUNG MEN" IS NEW PUBLICATION

The second copy of "Oakland Young Men," a four-page weekly publication issued on Thursday in the interests of the men and boys of Oakland, has just come from the press, and reflects credit on the enterprise of the young men of the association who are responsible for its issue. Philip H. Hess is editor of the folder, his associates being George Sargent and D. Lawrie.

The publication is devoted to news of the various departments of the Y. M. C. A. work, including the dormitory, club, the educational, physical, athletic and religious departments. It gives the programs for the coming events in connection with the association, as well as comments on past events, together with news of the association members.

## COMPROMISE OLD LAWSUIT FOR \$325

After seventeen years of intermittent litigation with the Southern Pacific Company for damages for personal injuries he sustained in 1894, when he was thrown from a train, John L. Gill of San Pablo late yesterday compromised with the corporation for \$325. Gill's first suit was begun immediately after his alleged ejection from the train. This action dragged through first one court and then another until about two years ago, when it was finally dismissed. Gill renewed litigation about a year ago, this time setting forth that his brain had been affected by his ejection, and that he had suffered mental lapses at various times. This is the action that has just been compromised.

## ELECTRICIAN CALLED IN INDIANAPOLIS HEARING

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 20.—J. B. Waggoner, formerly an electrician at Seattle, reported to the government official today as a witness in the investigation of the alleged dynamite conspiracy. J. B. McNamara is alleged to have asked Waggoner how bombs might be ignited by an electric spark from a battery instead of by fulmination caps. No session of the inquiry will be held today. The jury having adjourned to Monday.

## LA FOLLETTE TO COME TO COAST

Solon Plans to Bring His Presidential Bomlet Far Out West.

CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—Senator Robert M. La Follette will take his presidential candidacy west, possibly as far as the coast, on a trip that will start early in March. Plans for the trip are now being perfected in the La Follette headquarters here.

"It is more than likely that the senator will touch the Pacific Coast," said Robert M. Buck, secretary of the La Follette committee today. "But even if he should fail to go that far, it is certain he will be heard in the Dakotas, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska and Oklahoma."

The Senator is said to be especially anxious to get his campaign under way in Kansas, which state he regards as highly favorable to his candidacy.

## POET TO BE HONORED AT DICKENS' CELEBRATION

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Charles Watson, the English poet, will be America's chief literary guest at the celebration of the 100th anniversary of the birth of Charles Dickens, which is to be held in New York on February 7. The celebration will last two days, beginning with a banquet on February 6.

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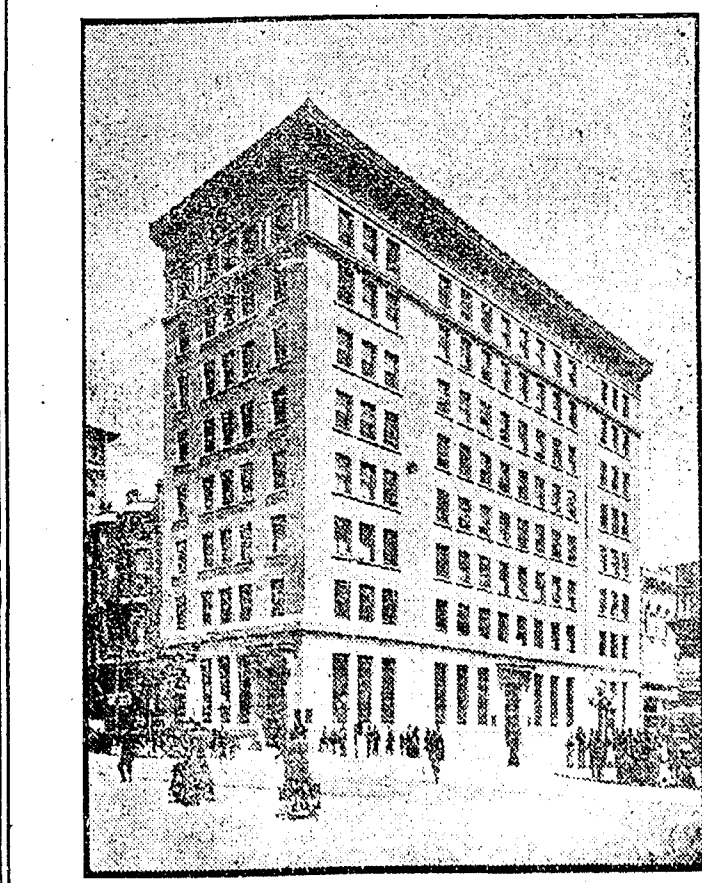
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## GREATER CARE OF INSANE IN STATE

Officials Become More Active in Collecting Money for Institutions.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 20.—That the state is becoming more active in the matter of collecting money for boarding and caring for inmates of the asylums of California is indicated in a report issued by Secretary George Huestis of the State Lunacy Commission, showing the collections for 1911 to be \$10,000 more than collected in 1910. The total for 1911 was \$168,372.35, against \$158,346.03 for 1910.

In addition the secretary reports that the actual direct collections paid in at the state office in the commission in 1911 were \$15,015.51. This is the largest amount paid in this way in the history of the state hospitals.

The Southern California state hospital has the record for collections for the year, showing a total of \$52,568.52. Napa's state hospital comes a close second, having collected \$51,098.62.

## CODY TO HEAD WESTERN GOLF ASSOCIATION

CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—John D. Cody of the Rock Island Arsenal Golf Club will be selected president of the Western Golf Association at the annual meeting to be held here tonight. There is no opposition to the regular ticket and it is said none is likely to develop. The remainder of the regular ticket is for \$1.

Vice-president, Frank L. Woodward, Denver Country Club; secretary, Charles E. Willard, South Shore Country Club; treasurer, Bruce D. Smith, Onwentsia Golf Club.

Besides the election the annual open and amateur tournament will be awarded. It is thought likely the amateur play will be awarded the Denver Country Club, and open play to the Idle Wild Club of Chicago.

**WATER HIDES BODIES.**  
KALAMA, Wash., Jan. 20.—Although a careful search has been made for the bodies of the three members of the crew of the river steamer Sarah Dixon, which blew up near here, none has been recovered. The cause of the explosion has not been ascertained. The nine survivors of the crew have gone to Portland.

**PERKINS' BROTHER DEAD.**  
EAST ORANGE, N. J., Jan. 20.—Edward R. Perkins, vice-president of the New York Life Insurance Company and a brother of George W. Perkins is dead at his home here following an operation for appendicitis. He was born in Chicago forty-four years ago.

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# Sunday Topics in the Pulpits

## CORNERSTONE TO BE LAID THURSDAY

Episcopal Convocation to Attend Dedication Ceremony of St. Paul's Church.

The cornerstone of St. Paul's Church will be laid next Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock, when the lay delegates and clergymen of the convocation diocese of California will witness the ceremony. The dedicatory sermon will be delivered by Rev. F. B. Clappett, rector of Trinity Church of San Francisco. Bishop William Ford Nichols will consecrate the stone.

Special music will be furnished by the vested choir of St. Paul's Church, under the direction of Henry L. Perry.

**CONGREGATIONAL.**  
First Congregational Church, Twelfth and Clay streets; Rev. H. A. Jump, minister—Sermons at 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. by the pastor; morning topic, "The Dragon of the Sea," evening topic, "A Motto for 1912."

Memorial services will be held in honor of Mrs. Mattie Parker Morris, wife of Rev. George Morris, in the First Congregational Church, corner of Chestnut and Central avenues, Alameda, tomorrow at 2 p. m. The W. C. T. U. and I. O. G. T. and other affiliated societies will attend in a body.

Plymouth Congregational Church, Piedmont and Laurel avenues; Rev. Albert W. Palmer, minister—11 a. m., "Unto the State of Christ," 7:45 p. m., "The Yoke," by Hendrik Ibsen. Fourth in a series of evening sermons on "The Spiritual Message of the Modern Drama." Wednesday evening annual meeting of the church; subject, "Following the Footprints of the year's work, election of officers and plans for the future."

Fruitvale Congregational Church, Fruitvale avenue and East Sixteenth street; Rev. Burton M. Palmer, pastor—11 a. m., "Encouraging Features of the World Campaign for Christ," also a Bible annual story to boys and girls; 7:30 p. m., "The Right and Wrong of Ambition."

**EPISCOPAL.**  
St. John's Church, Eighth and Grove streets; Rev. Edgar F. Gee, rector—7:45 a. m., holy communion; 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; 10 a. m., morning prayer; 11 a. m., catechizing; 11 a. m., choral eucharist and sermon; 7:45 p. m., evensong and sermon by the Rev. H. C. Hunting, secretary of the Eighth Missionary Department.

Good Samaritan Church, corner Oak and Ninth streets; Rev. R. Franklin Hart, vicar—11 a. m., morning prayer with sermon; 2:30 p. m., Sunday school; Wednesday, 7:45 p. m., evening prayer with short address.

St. Paul's Church, Grand avenue, near Webster street; Rev. Alexander Allen, rector; Rev. R. Franklin Hart, vicar—8 a. m., holy communion; 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; 11 a. m., morning prayer with sermon; 7:45 p. m., evening prayer with address on the Seventh Commandment.

Rev. Geo. C. Hunting, who succeeded Bishop Sanford as secretary of the Eighth Missionary Department, will preach the sermon at 11 a. m.

Trinity Episcopal Church, Telegraph avenue and Twenty-ninth street; Rev. Clifton Macdon, rector—7:30, holy communion; 10 a. m., Sunday school; 11 a. m., morning prayer and sermon; 7:30 p. m., evening prayer and sermon. At 6 o'clock the rector will deliver the third of his series on "The Lord's Prayer," subject, "Hallowed Be Thy Name." Shattuck avenue, between Fifty-fourth and Fifty-sixth streets; Rev. George E. Swan in charge—10 a. m., Sunday school; 11 a. m., morning prayer and sermon; 7:30 p. m., evening prayer and sermon.

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Twelfth and Magnolia streets; Rev. George C. Golden, rector—8 a. m., holy communion; 10 a. m., Sunday school; 11 a. m., morning prayer and sermon; "Spiritual Healing," 11 a. m.; Young People's meeting, 7 p. m., evening prayer and sermon. The School of Expiation, 7:45 p. m.; Ladies' guild, Wednesday, 2 p. m.

**LUTHERAN.**  
Zion's German Lutheran Church, corner Twelfth and Myrtle streets; J. H. Theiss, pastor—Morning subject, "Mary the Mother of Jesus," 11 a. m.; "The Holy Trinity," 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 9:15 a. m.

Our Savior Danish Lutheran Church, East Twelfth street; Pastor—Sunday school, 10 a. m.; morning services, 11 o'clock. No evening service. Young People's Society, Thursday, 8 p. m.

Athens Lutheran Church, near San Pablo avenue and Twenty-fifth street, E. S. Belgrum, pastor—Sunday school, 10 a. m.; services, 11 a. m.; Y. P. S., Wednesday, 8 p. m.

S. Paul's English Lutheran Church, Linden and Thirty-second streets—Services at 8 p. m. Sermon by Rev. E. S. Belgrum, pastor. Sunday school, 10 a. m.

**CHRISTIAN.**  
First Christian Church, Grand avenue and Webster street, one block east of the Key Route Inn. Rev. Thomas A. Boyer, pastor—Morning, "Over Against the Treasury," 11 a. m.; "The Spectacle Business," Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; C. W. West, superintendent. Loyal Sons, Loyal Daughters, Anchor class, the Men's Club, and the M. M. class taught by the pastor at the regular Sunday school hours. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:15 p. m. Regular mid-week prayer meeting, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

Fruitvale Christian Church, Fruitvale avenue and East Twenty-fifth street; R. L. McIlhatton, pastor—Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.; lesson study, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.**  
First Church of Christ, Scientist, Seventeenth and Franklin streets—Sunday services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m., subject, "Life." Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; Wednesday evening testimonial meeting, 8 p. m. Reading room in the church open from 12 to 4 p. m.

Second Church of Christ, Scientist, Friedberg Hall, Forty-second and Telegraph avenues—Sunday services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; Wednesday evening testimonial meeting, 8 p. m.; free reading room 1012 Telegraph avenue, open week days from 2 to 4 p. m.

Third Church of Christ, Scientist, Fruitvale Masonic Temple, East Fourteenth street and Thirty-seventh avenue—Sunday services at 11 a. m., subject, "Life," 8 p. m., subject, "Life." Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; Wednesday evening testimonial meeting, 8 p. m.; free reading room open daily except Sunday from 2 to 4 p. m. at East Fourteenth street, between Eighth and Nineteenth avenues.

Christian Science Society of Elmhurst—Sunday services at I. O. O. F. Hall, East Fourteenth street and Ninety-second avenue, at 11 a. m., subject, "Life." Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; testimonial meeting, Wednesday, 8 p. m.; free reading room open daily except Sunday from 2 to 4 p. m. at East Fourteenth street, between Eighth and Nineteenth avenues.

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MISS JOSEPHINE GILL, organist in Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church of Berkeley, who is a gifted musician.

Fifty-fourth and Wentworth avenues, Robertson Burley pastor—At the 11 o'clock hour Rev. W. Aubrey Wilson will preach, at 7:30 p. m., the pastor will speak on "A Consensus of Opinion." Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; Epworth League, 6:30 p. m.

Fruitvale Methodist Episcopal Church, corner Boston avenue and School street, F. W. Lloyd, pastor—11 a. m., Rev. C. Briggs from India, will preach; 7:30 p. m., "The Story of Two Sons," 6:30 p. m., Epworth League service.

Shattuck Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church, corner of Shattuck avenue and Sixty-third street, W. Case, D. D., pastor—Morning subject, "Influence," evening service will consist of a platform meeting with the general subject, "Qualities that Win." Charles M. Cadman, O. D. Jacoby and the pastor will speak. An interesting feature of the evening will be the public installation of officers of the Epworth League.

Eighth-avenue Methodist Episcopal Church, corner of Eighth avenue and Seventeenth street, Rev. Henry J. Winsor, pastor—Morning service at 11 o'clock, subject, "The Power of the Word," evening service at 7:30 p. m., subject, "Ambassadors for Christ." Epworth League, 6:30 p. m.; Sabbath school, 12:30 p. m.; prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:45 p. m. Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, Edward J. Bradner, pastor—Mrs. Eva Brand of Korea, will speak at the morning service at 11 o'clock; at 7:30 p. m., the pastor will speak on "Jesus at the Well." Rev. L. Schilling will lead the Epworth League meeting at 6:30 p. m.; Sunday school at 10:30 a. m.; mid-week meeting, Wednesday, 7:45 p. m.

Norwegian-Danish M. E. Church, Twentieth street between San Pablo and Telegraph avenues, Frank A. Scarvie, pastor—Morning subject, "The Holy Spirit's Power," evening subject, "God's Power Available for Man's Salvation." Young People's devotional meeting, Sunday, 7 p. m.; Oscar A. Olsen, leader, mid-week prayer meeting and Bible study, Wednesday, 8 p. m. M. T. Trolstad of San Francisco will give a lecture in the church Friday evening at 8 o'clock, subject, "My Trip to Norway."

First Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Thirty-fourth and Telegraph avenues, W. J. Sims, pastor. Phone 1230—Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; morning service, 11 a. m.; Davidson, superintendent; morning worship, 11 a. m.; Epworth League at 6:15; Mr. Traxler, president; evening worship, 7:30. At the morning hour the pastor will preach on "Shiloh."

**BAPTIST.**  
Calvary Baptist Church, West street near Twelfth, Rev. J. Pruden, pastor—9:45 a. m., Bible school; 11 a. m., (a) Baptism; (b) memorial services for Mrs. L. Falvey; 8 p. m., subject, "The Power of the Word." The Temptation," 8 p. m., Monday, Bible school staff and choir; 7:45 p. m., Wednesday, praise and prayer.

First Baptist Church, Telegraph avenue and Jones street—Lord's day, 9:30 a. m., One accord prayer meeting; 9:45 a. m., Sunday school, Baraca and Philathea classes; 11 a. m., public worship; sermon by the minister, Rev. William C. Spencer. Town: 12:30 p. m., Adult Bible class led by Dr. Woods; 6:30 p. m., Young People's meeting, subject, "Ambitions That Are Worth Fighting For." Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.; lesson study, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

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Brooklyn Presbyterian Church, Twelfth avenue and East Twentieth street, Rev. H. K. Sanborn, pastor. Morning subject, "God's Friends," evening subject, "Things We Know." Wednesday, Jan. 24, "A Study in Hebrew Melodies."

Union-street Presbyterian Church, Union street near Tenth, Ellsworth L. Rich, pastor. Morning subject, "Is the Church Essential?" evening subject, "The Church's Problem." Bible school, 9:45 a. m.; preaching services, 11 a. m., Y. P. S. C. E., 6:15 p. m.; evening worship, 7:30 p. m. St. James Presbyterian Church, East Twelfth and East Fourteenth streets, Rev. J. P. Garrier, pastor—Sunday school at 10 a. m.; morning service, 11 a. m., subject, "Soul Winning." Christian Endeavor at 6:45 p. m.

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## Short Sermons for Busy Readers

### "THE PRECIOUS INVITATION"

Text, "Come unto me."—Matthew xi:28.

Christ and the sinner are apart. To get together one or both must change. We are speaking of a moral and spiritual change. As Jesus is perfect we cannot look for him to change. Man is imperfect and therefore he is the one to change. We are taught in the good book that God is to come to man. He has already come. He has prepared the road and the way is open and man is lovingly invited to approach the Savior. If God had failed to do His part we could not be counted responsible. He has made the plan of salvation and we are called to meet its conditions. There are some people not invited in this call. Those who are not heavy laden. The persons who do not feel the burden of sin. To the man who realizes that he is a sinner, lost and undone, the words of the Redeemer come as sweetest music. The man who boasts of his own goodness is not included in this message, nor do I know of one intended for him. The little babe is not counted here, for he is innocent and is not weary and heavy laden. Christ tells us that heaven is made up of child-like spirits. But let the man who is fighting his appetite and carrying the fearful weight know that he can drop his load at Jesus' feet. Here he will find rest for his soul, and this is the only place he can obtain it.



Rev. A. L. McIlhatton

### NOT NEGATIVE CHARACTER.

But this invitation does not make him a negative character. He is not left an idler. To him is delivered a pardon and to him are given new obligations. Thus inducing him into the church of God and starting him with a clean record into the new life. These obligations are considered a yoke. A yoke has two purposes—to restrain and enable to draw burdens. Without the yoke you could not control an ox. When I look out upon the temptations meeting every man I am sure he needs the Christian restraint. When on the ear of every young man falls the alluring song:

"Oh, come to the festal board tonight,  
For bright-eyed beauty will be there;  
Her coral lips in nectar steeped,  
And garlanded her hair."

And then the loud chorus:  
"Landlord, fill a flowing bowl  
Until it does run over;  
For tonight we will merry, merry be  
And tomorrow we will get sober."

I say when I hear such entrancing appeals I am a thousand times certain we require something to hold us to the narrow path.

### DOES NOT END THERE.

But the Christian life does not end in keeping out of sin, but in doing good for others. In making the road smoother for a fellow-traveler. In making it easy to do right and hard to do wrong. In paying a girl living wages. In wiping tears from weeping eyes. In holding aloft the lantern to light your brother through the dark. He who helps, by God's grace, to better the surroundings of men and women is responding to the most beautiful invitation of God's dear Son. Don't think conditions as ideal as long as you can hear your sister say:

"Stitch, stitch, stitch in hunger, poverty and dirt,  
Thus sat a woman in unwomanly rags  
As she sung the song of the shirt."

The time to heed this invitation is now. The place to accept it and work it out is in His glorious church. Today open your heart to His loving call, singing:

"Just as I am without one plea,  
But that Thy blood was shed for me;  
And that Thou bid'st me come to Thee,  
Oh, Lamb of God, I come, I come."

Rev. Robt. L. McIlhatton is pastor of the Fruitvale Christian church.

day at 8 p. m. experience and test meeting.

Trinity Spiritual church, 1065 Washington street—Rev. John Slater will hold spiritual services Sunday evening at 8 sharp. Music by the Richards family. Mrs. S. Cowell, pastor.

The Spiritual Thought Exchange meets Sunday at 8 p. m. at 546 Eighteenth street, near San Pablo avenue. Subject, "Music and Art." Messages by Mrs. T. H. Moulton, Dr. Crocker and others. Prizes Tuesday and Thursday at 8 p. m. Melrose Swedish Mission Church, 5135

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**VESPUCCI'S WORKS**  
BRING \$17,500

The Manuscripts of Columbus' Rival Feature of Hoe Auction Sale.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Chicago outbid New York for America Vespucci's works at the Hoe auction sale today, when Walter M. Hill, of that city, gave \$17,500 for four items, with Dodd and Livingston of this city the under-bidder each time.

The Karlsruhe copy of the first edition of the complete account of the four voyages, believed to have been printed in Lisbon in 1508, brought \$8,000. It is a small quarto in two volumes and is believed to have cost Hoe \$250. Bernard Quaritch, who sold the book to Hoe, bid \$7,000 today. But four other copies are known to exist. The Hoe copy is the only one that ever got into the hands of an American collector. The others are in European museums.

The present series of auctions of the Hoe books ended last night with a total of \$471,618 realized during the last two weeks for the 3621 items offered.

The grand total, including last night's sale, is \$1,465,562. There are still about six thousand books and manuscripts to be sold.

**LEGISLATURE INVITES PUBLISHER TO MAKE SPEECH IN THE HOUSE.**

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 20.—William Randolph Hearst was paid a high compliment yesterday by the House of Representatives of the Kentucky Legislature, which unanimously adopted a resolution inviting him, when it is convenient for him, to make the Assembly an address.

Kentucky is going to be the battleground for the Democratic nomination for President this year, and the invitation given Hearst shows that he is counted in the running for the nomination.

One of the most agreeable features of the invitation is that it is non-partisan, being extended alike by the Democrats and the Republicans.

An effort will be made to get Hearst to come here about the middle of February, and he will be given a splendid reception. The distinguished member in the Democratic party from over the state will assemble here to meet him and hear him make his address to the Assembly.

**SECRETARY OF STATE IS PREPARING ELECTION LIST**

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 20.—Secretary of State John Jordan is busy preparing a list of elections to be held in the state this year in order that he may arrange for the purchase of necessary ballot paper. This will be one of the heaviest election years the state has known in advance of the presidential election in November there is the presidential primary election in May and the state primaries in August. Then there are an unusual number of municipal elections and local option elections scheduled.

**"PRIMITIVE" MAN TO TRY A NEW DODGE**

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—Last night's weekly demonstration at the Affiliated colleges tomorrow afternoon will be a trial of mind-reading between him and Ralph Moore, the Yuki Indian. They have been engaged in several contests of aboriginal gambling, with both always coming out ahead.

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## BONAPARTE HEIRS TO GET \$600,000

No Provision Is Made for One Daughter of Emperor's Grandniece.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—The will of Mme. Caroline Leroy Bonaparte, widow of Jerome Napoleon Bonaparte, grand-nephew of the Emperor Napoleon, filed for probate yesterday, disposes of an estate valued at \$600,000.

The will makes provision for all the children by her two marriages except a daughter of the first marriage, Marie S. Edgar, now Sister Marie De Sales



## Roosevelt and Arbitration.

Colonel Roosevelt says he favors the principle of arbitration, but the terms in which he expresses his opposition to the arbitration treaties now pending in the Senate indicate that he is opposed to putting it in practice. He resembles the man who was in favor of prohibition but objected to its enforcement. The Colonel says: "We cannot afford to arbitrate questions of vital interest and national honor, or questions of settled American policy."

Now the pending treaties expressly exclude from the causes to be arbitrated "questions of national honor and vital interest." Roosevelt is fighting a shadow. He sees, in his mind's eye, the Monroe Doctrine and our title to the Philippines in peril. Englishmen might urge, with equal truth, that the arbitration treaty puts South Africa, Canada and Ireland in the balance. It is a wild and baseless assumption that arbitration might compel us to admit Anglicized Chinese from Hongkong and go to trial on our right to maintain a protectorate over Cuba. A man who draws on his imagination for objections to putting a principle he professes to favor in practice is not sincerely devoted to that principle. The Colonel evidently wants an arbitration arrangement that will enable the United States to win the decision in every dispute or leave her free to reject the terms of the award.

But why should not questions of vital interest be arbitrated? They are arbitrated in court. If arbitration be limited to trivial and unimportant things it is not likely to stop bloodshed or promote the peace of mankind.

Grover Cleveland bluntly told England that she must arbitrate her territorial dispute with Venezuela or fight the United States. The dispute was of vital interest to Venezuela, but not to Great Britain. The Cleveland ultimatum raised a question of national honor. England arbitrated and averted bloodshed. But she did not lose respect among nations nor suffer derogation of national honor. She was asserting her claims in the Orinoco basin in the old-fashioned way, but arbitration gave her a peaceable and acknowledged title to a large share of the territory she claimed, though not all, and she came out of the controversy all the stronger for having settled her dispute with a weaker nation in accordance with the principles of equity. It is a tribute to the good sense and good temper of the English people that the experience they gained in arbitration, though not always pleasant, strengthened their belief in the principle.

As President Taft points out, somebody must lose in an arbitration. Both sides cannot win in that method of settlement any more than both sides can win in war. The President clearly and forcibly expresses this phase of the arbitration question in these words:

"Arbitration cannot result in victory for both parties; somebody has got to be beaten. We cannot play 'Heads I win, tails you lose'; we have got to have the people accept the fact that sometimes we may be beaten. We ought not to arrange something with a string to it, so that when we think we are going to lose we can back out of arbitration and open up the possibility of war. We ought to put ourselves in such a situation that sometimes it will hurt us; we ought to subscribe to and carry out the treaty and stand to its terms. If we do not, then we are not making any progress."

To be effective arbitration must really settle real disputes. It is not an academic or a one-sided proposition. It is either a practical method of adjusting international disputes without resort to arms or it is worthless—in other words, a barren idealism, to use the language of the late Senator Vest. It must be a vital recourse applying to vital things. Otherwise it cannot be a step toward disarmament and a release from the burden of military taxation.

That apparently is what Colonel Roosevelt does not want. He loves fighting for its own sake. While he was President he was eternally clamoring for a larger army, more and bigger ships. Retrenchment in military expenditures was never once suggested by him as either desirable or wise. Sedulously he presented the idea that a large standing army and a powerful navy are the only dependence for peace and national security. His real objection to arbitration is that it nullifies all his arguments in favor of maintaining a huge military establishment in this republic.

"Fighting Bob Evans died poor," is a statement that is going the rounds. So did Jesus, so did a multitude of great and noble men. But there are no pockets in a shroud, and we are not taught that St. Peter exacts an admission fee at the gate of heaven. However, Congress should make suitable provision for the widow of the dead admiral. The aged wife of a man who rendered his country honorable service for forty-seven years should not be compelled to pass the remainder of her days in poverty.

## Statistics of Trade With Canada.

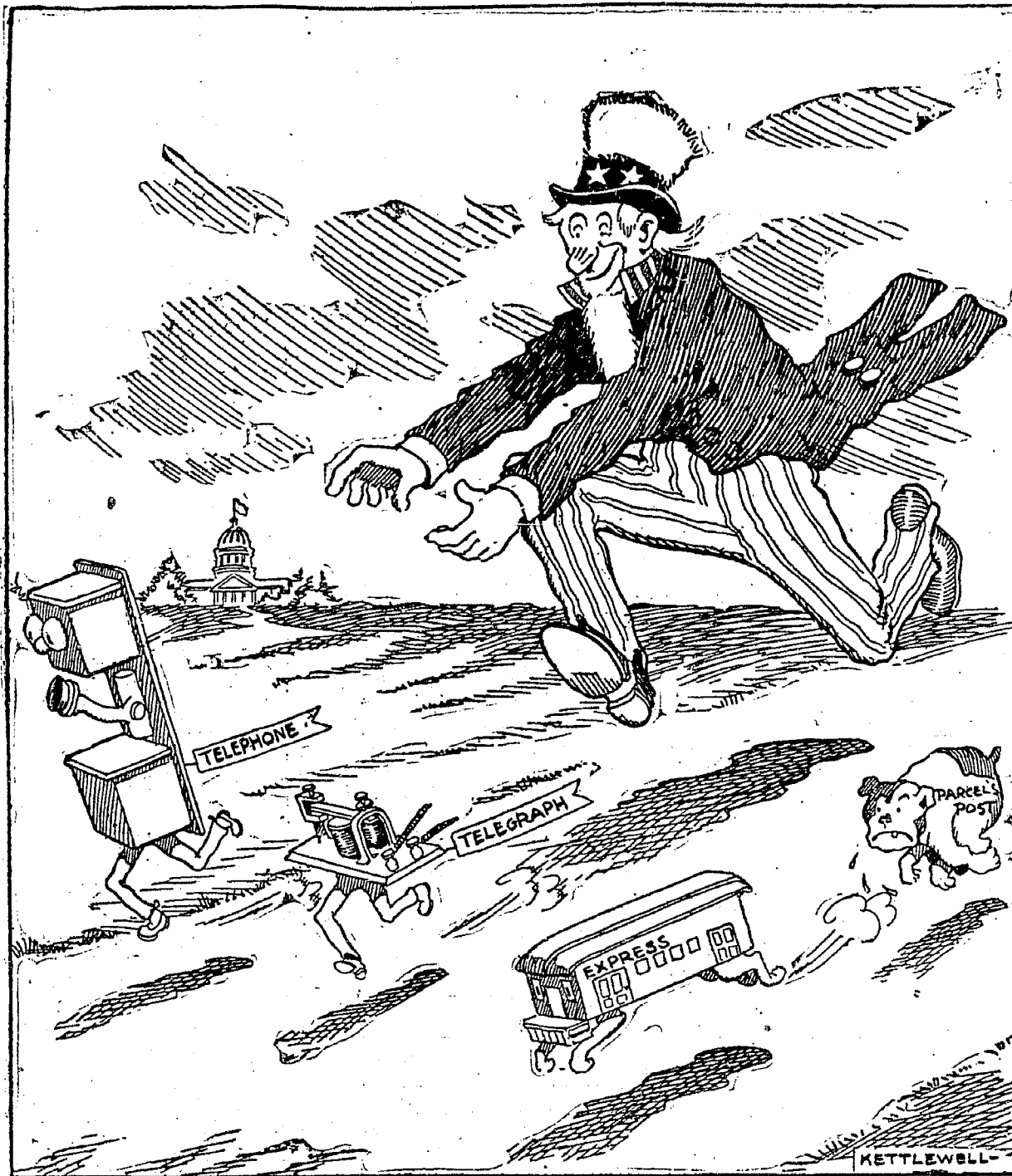
When Canada rejected the reciprocity agreement she decided not to remove the existing tariff restrictions on her trade with the nation with which she does the largest volume of business. Last year the trade between Canada and the United States amounted to \$404,331,540, as against \$246,901,543 which represents the gross volume of trade between the Dominion and the United Kingdom.

What makes the action of the Canadian voters inexplicable is the fact that the reciprocity agreement would have enormously expanded the volume of Canadian agricultural exports. At present we sell Canada two dollars' worth of goods for every dollar's worth we buy from her—a little more, in fact. Last year our exports to the Dominion aggregated \$284,934,739, while our imports from Canada totaled the comparatively modest sum of \$119,331,540. Naturally one would expect that the Canadians would have welcomed the opportunity to increase her sales to a people from whom they buy so heavily.

With Great Britain the situation is different. England buys more from Canada than she sells to that dependency. Last year she sold Canada \$109,936,432 worth of goods and bought \$136,965,111 worth of Canadian products. The balance is in favor of Canada in her trade with Great Britain, but heavily against her in her trade with the United States. Yet the Canadians rejected an opportunity to more nearly equalize her trade with this country. Well, we can stand it.

Fiddling Bob Taylor of Tennessee is to discard his only claim to distinction. He is going to quit fiddling. He has begun to reform at the wrong end. He should quit trying to be a statesman and keep on fiddling. Fiddle Bob claims to be a Jeffersonian. The sage of Monticello played the fiddle and, like the butcher that Sallie married, wore red hair. Fiddle Bob's hair is not red. In several other particulars he differs from the founder of the Democratic party, but he is quite orthodox when it comes to horseshair and catgut. When he is reeling off the notes of "Chicken in de Bread Tray" or "Sugar in the Gourd," one can forget—for the time being at least—that his notions of political economy are as primitive as Brother Jasper's ideas of cosmogony. Let him keep on fiddling and quit putting sand in the bearings of the government machine.

## UNCLE SAM IS REACHING OUT



## China's Political Future Uncertain.

China's perplexities are multiplying and the enshrouding of her future in doubt is thickening. She is worse off than Mexico which is far from free of internal troubles and whose future is densely beclouded, for "the sister republic" is not surrounded by territorial ghouls who are waiting for an opportunity to join in carrying out a program of partition among themselves as a final solution of the problem created by civil dissension. China is surrounded by predatory nations holding extra territorial rights wrung during periods of helplessness from the tottering imperial authorities and by well-defined "spheres of influence" mutually established among themselves and meekly agreed to in hours of weakness by the decadent regime which is apparently on the eve of permanent dissolution.

The Chinese Reform Association, which is directing the rebellion, professes that its purpose is to establish a republic. If it finally succeeds in forcing the Manchu dynasty to abdicate, it must be plain to a tyro student of the condition of the Chinese people that such a form of government cannot be expected to be permanently established and maintained, for the simple reason that the great mass of the three or four million inhabitants of the Chinese empire are not in a condition to understand or assume the responsibilities of a representative government. The great mass of the people have not even the crudest knowledge of self-government. For centuries unnumbered they have been kept in total ignorance of the principles of self-government, submitting without any form of organized opposition to the dictates and tyranny of an absolutism. It is simply unreasonable to suppose for a minute that a people thus held under the yoke of a despotism can suddenly emerge from a benighted state and intelligently exercise the rights and privileges pertaining to self-government on those lines of popular representation which it has taken centuries of education to develop among the most enlightened Occidental nations. The announcement that provisional president, Sun Yat Sen, positively declines to accept the permanent presidency of the republic which has been proclaimed as the result of the revolution indicates his belief in the uncertainty of its perpetuation.

After many years of strenuous endeavor on the part of the champions of a healthy and honest outdoor sport, "Soccer" football has at last triumphed, overcoming all opposition to its recognition in the list of college field athletics and being regularly approved as a college sport by the executive committee at Stanford University, and the "Soccer" team organized there some time ago has been authorized to wear the college initial. The college faculty and students are to be congratulated for embracing a sane sport which will quicken the mentality and develop every manly and courageous quality in its students and in which every member of the student body, unless incapacitated by physical infirmity, can participate to his enjoyment and benefit.

If you want to let any of your friends in the east, or elsewhere, know about Oakland and what is going on here, send them copies of THE TRIBUNE ANNUAL—it will save you a lot of trouble and tell the story better than you can.

"Two can play at the recall," says the Visalia Delta. Why certainly; anybody and everybody can play at it. Surely the Delta did not think it an instrumentality reserved to any particular class or faction, or can be invoked only for good purposes. The Delta advocated the recall. "What a merry place Visalia would be with a recall every six months!" it exclaims. Why not? What is the recall for? Was it not designed to put officials on trial before the electorate whenever a comparatively small percentage of voters decide that they want a new set of officers? "Two can play the same game," says the Delta in a wrathful tone. Of course; it always takes two, or more to play any game. The beauty of the recall game is that anybody and everybody can get into it at will. Only the elected officials stand a chance to lose; all the other players are not required to ante, and have a chance of winning and none of losing. True, the public will have to pay the bills and suffer the consequences, but who cares for the public nowadays?—the loudest-mouthed of the self-constituted guardians of public interests and public morality least of all.

## LAWYER AS A LIABILITY

Prof. Carver of Harvard, addressing the American Economic Association on the causes of the increase in the cost of living, includes among the factors of waste the vast amount of litigation carried on in this country. He is quoted as saying: "We have more lawyers than any other country in the world, civilized or uncivilized. This army of lawyers is comparable to the army of soldiers supported by European countries. It is certainly a great waste of human energy." The statement is accurate enough as to facts, but the conclusions are overstrained. Cheap and frequent litigation is by no means an unmitigated evil. Where lawsuits are inexpensive, even the poorest man has some chance of procuring justice. When we count the cost of maintaining so many lawyers, we must not forget to count also what would be the loss to people of ordinary means if the number were fewer and the fees higher.

The average cost of maintenance of an American lawyer is small. Some of them live almost wholly on the glory of being lawyers. Others perform useful work. Some are clerks, some serve in business houses, some in newspaper offices, some in political jobs. In rural counties many lawyers are farmers. Instances have been known where they earned a livelihood as real estate agents, insurance agents and book agents. Counting all the factors of the problem fairly, it will probably be found that the lawyer is an asset and not a liability to the community. Those among them that increase the cost of living are few. An overwhelming majority set a good example of the simple life by blacking their boots themselves and wearing last year's overcoats.—New York World.

## A FEW CHANGES

"Well, well," said ma who had wandered back to the old village. "So the Eagle house is still the Eagle house. No change after twenty years." "There have been a few changes," remarked the old inhabitant. "Since you've been gone the hotel has been respectively the Grand Central, the Grand Union, the Grand Junction, the Great Northern, the Great Southern, the Imperial, the Regal, the Empire, the Regent and the Mansion house. She's just starting around the circuit for the second time."—Pittsburg Post.

## Sun Yat Sen

Have you heard the news they've cabled here from old Nankin (Where the trousers brown are labelled)? Sure, the king thing has been tabled. All the Manchus have been stabled. The republic's on the screen!

Yes, the dynasty they've licked out With its gull and gulle; And the regency they've licked out With its gold and gauds all tricked out. And a President they've picked out Quite in U. S. style.

Ere the ruction well got going He'd been spotted unawares; And we knew without a showing That his cause would keep on growing; 'Twas inevitable, owing To the cognomen he bears.

There's a subtle sort of something Like a syllabled refrain In his name. A kind of hum thing—Yes, a sort of singsome, thrum thing—And we all do the succumb thing. May he win through the campaign.

It will be no easy matter To survive the twist and shock. Foes without and in will batter. And there'll be a fearful clatter From progressive and standpatton Here is luck unto the Doel! —Maurice Morris; in New York Sun.

## THE NEW OPIATE

A scientific announcement of tremendous importance has just come from the seared and scented precincts of Mount Holyoke College. After mature and deliberate study of the entire subject the learned faculty has discovered that mince pie is conducive to slumber, and has barred the toothsome dainties forever from the collegiate bill of fare. For some time past the teachers have noted with growing alarm that the young ladies returning to the classroom from their luncheons displayed each day an increasing tendency to go to sleep at their desks, a most reprehensible proceeding, indeed, and investigation speedily fixed the blame upon the mince pie, which, with due respect for the New England tradition, had long been one of the institutions of the place. It being obvious that a daily dose of French exercises, music, drawing, and the like cannot properly be instilled into the mind of a somnambulist, it was evident that mince pie would have to go. There are, however, certain features in this case which demand more than passing attention. In the world of surgery and medicine the discovery must be ranked with that of the hypodermic syringe and the other tube. No doubt within a short time progressive surgeons will use a quarter slab of mince pie instead of cocaine and chloroform in their operations, for as an anesthetic it is by long odds more agreeable than either of these, and would be demanded by all up-to-date invalids. In large doses, repeated at regular intervals, mince pie, say a whole one of the 30-cent size, in all probability would put even the most confirmed insomniac to sleep. In fact, we feel quite positive that it would if taken

at retiring time. As a handy sleep producer in the hands of a midnight burglar—but why dwell upon the infinite possibilities of mince pie, now that it has been shown up? We submit that it is a fit subject for investigation by the opium congress now sitting at The Hague. It is, of course, the irony of fate that this opiate delicacy should have been exposed in one of the leading cities of the pie belt, but if it takes a thief to catch a thief, why does it not hold true that it takes a pie eater to catch a pie?

We suggest that all poker players, policemen, night watchmen, and politicians carefully refrain from dallying with mince pie, for it will catch them napping if they don't watch out.—Washington Post.

## RICKETY OLD CROCK

Two fishermen named Jeffs, living near each other, had met with misfortune, the one having lost his wife and the other his boat. A lady visitor called on the one who had lost his boat thinking it was the one who had lost his wife, and the following conversation ensued: "Good morning, Mr. Jeffs, I am sorry to hear of your sad loss." "Oh, it ain't much consequence, mum; she wasn't up to much."

"Dear me, you don't say so!" "Ay, she was a rickety old crock. When I went out with her I was always in danger of my life."

"Indeed!" "I offered her to my mate only last week, but he wouldn't have her; but I have had my eye on another for some time now, and—"

## 20 YEARS AGO IN OAKLAND

A leap year surprise party was tendered to Miss Wirsching at her home, Grove and Thirty-seventh streets, last evening. Late in the evening a banquet was served and it was not until early in the morning that the guests departed. Those present were: Misses Bertha Peters, Annie Lehnner, Annie Limbridge, Lena Kuck, Annie Bugelme, Doris Fleck, Bertha Wenner, Gretchen Ertler, Lena Smith, Martha Fichen, Alvina Thoda, Della Thoda, Carrie Fuchs, Messrs. F. Sonderleit, George Fuchs, William Lange, Herman Muhr, Henry Hoohr, August Koster, August Denke, Albert Krickan, Fritz Koster, Max and Herman Franz, Henry Smith, Fred Fishman, A. Niehaus, W. Busse and H. Friedman.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Chickering of 970 Sixteenth street entertained the members of the Ladies' Current News Club last evening. On Friday evening Mrs. Otto Blankart and the Misses Blankart gave one of their delightful musical evenings at their home on Tenth avenue, East Oakland. The will of F. D. Ayers was admitted

to probate this afternoon and letters testamentary issued to Lillie A. Ayers.

Mrs. Alice Godfrey this morning filed a contest in the estate of her late husband, George Godfrey. The contestant relates her marriage with Godfrey and tells how the will was made before the marriage.

John Birch, arrested for not carrying a light on his wheel after 6 p. m., pleaded that it was his first infraction of the law and if pardoned he would promise not to offend again.

Last week E. E. Smith drove to San Jose and back. He reports the roads to be in a splendid condition from Fruit Vale out, but says that the roadway from Lake Merritt to Fruit Vale is in a bad condition and dangerous.

Professor Gustin's dancing class gave a social evening in Klinkner Hall last evening at which the following were among those present: Dr. and Mrs. Cave, Mr. and Mrs. Don Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Slater, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman, Mr. and Mrs. Whyte and many others.

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When Rexall "33" Hair Tonic will do as above stated, it is not strange that we have such great faith in it, and that we claim it will prevent baldness when used in time. It acts scientifically, destroying the germs, which are usually responsible for baldness. It penetrates to the roots of the hair, stimulating and nourishing them. It is a most pleasant toilet necessity, is delicately perfumed and will not run nor permanently stain the hair.

We want you to get a bottle of Rexall "33" Hair Tonic and use it as directed. If it does not relieve scalp irritation, remove dandruff, prevent the hair from falling out and promote an increased growth of hair and in every way give entire satisfaction, simply come back and tell us and without question or formality we will hand back to you every penny you paid us for it.

We lend our endorsement to Rexall "33" Hair Tonic and sell it on this guarantee, because we believe it is the best hair tonic ever discovered. It comes in two sizes, prices 50 cents and \$1.00. Remember, you can obtain it only at the Rexall Drug Co. stores in Oakland, San Francisco, Los Angeles, Sacramento, Portland, Seattle, Spokane.

## PINCHOT BUSY

## WITH CAMPAIGN

Progressives, He Writes, Will Meet to Decide On Roosevelt or La Follette.

DENVER, Jan. 20.—The Republican here today says a concerted plan is on foot to call a national meeting of progressive Republicans to decide upon a choice between Roosevelt and La Follette as candidate for the nomination to head the Republican national ticket and to receive the support of progressive Republican delegates at the coming national convention.

According to the Republican, J. S. Temple, a leading progressive Republican of Denver, is in receipt of a letter from Clifford Pinchot at Washington saying that a working agreement has been made between supporters of Roosevelt and La Follette, with the idea of concentrating progressive strength in the Republican national convention to bring about the defeat of Taft for renomination.

The plan, as set forth, is for a meeting of progressive delegates to be held several days before the convention to determine which of the two—Roosevelt or La Follette—will have the strongest support and to place the name of the stronger before the convention.

The letter, however, does not state whether willingness to run has been expressed by Roosevelt should he be favored for the nomination.

## HYPNOTISM USED TO GAIN COIN, IS CHARGE

STOCKTON, Jan. 20.—Charging their brother with using the art of hypnotism to defraud them out of their inheritance, John and Lawrence Lagomarsino, the former a resident of San Francisco yesterday filed a sensational complaint against Frank Lagomarsino. They charge the defendant with conspiring with his wife to rob them of \$40,000.

The court is asked to annul the deed to the property left by the father, Lazarus Lagomarsino, and to grant letters of administration to the plaintiffs. In the complaint it is averred that the defendant and his wife entered into the home of the deceased a short time before he died, and, taking advantage of his age, used hypnotism upon him, with the result that he deeded to them his highly cultivated ranch, situated in this county, and valued at more than \$40,000.

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## KNOX OUTLINES HIS VIEWS ON THE MONROE DOCTRINE

'Our Duty' Is to Ratify Nicaraguan and Honduran Loan Conventions

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—"Our duty to ourselves and to them," was the argument put forward by Secretary Knox for the ratification of the Nicaraguan and Honduran loan conventions, before the New York State Bar Association here last night.

In his speeches up to this time Knox has contended almost exclusively with policy in the Monroe doctrine. He has expected to come to those countries and the United States by the ratification of the loan conventions. He has asserted it to be an obligation on the part of the United States to aid these countries to restore their finances to a stable basis.

MIDDLE COURSE.  
The secretary based his argument upon the Monroe doctrine. In its present broad interpretation, he said, the doctrine obligated the United States to lend aid to neighboring South American republics to assure a just settlement of their controversies with European nations. It did not, however, make the United States responsible for the wrongdoings of these countries. Between these two extremes of an obligation to see that right was done by European nations to these republics and taking the responsibility for the wrongs done by these republics, he said, there was a middle course which the United States should adopt as its policy toward the weak Latin-American republics. This, he said, was a responsibility to assist them to meet their just obligations and to keep out of trouble.

It goes almost without saying," continued the secretary, "that from aiding an embarrassed neighbor in doing the right or in defending a right to assuming vicarious responsibility for his wrongdoing is a far cry. Between these two extremes, as between all extremes, there lies a median zone where they touch or even overlap. That is the case when their question is raised now far, in a given situation, this nation may go in helping another American people to avert any injurious consequences of wrongdoing.

Assuming the responsibility of extending such aid, the secretary declared, was as much a moral obligation as ensuring ourselves against "specific conditions where we might have to become in too great a measure accountable for that there is a real danger of foreign

interference in Central American affairs the secretary plainly stated. He also pointed out how our interest in the countries in that district would increase with the opening of the Panama canal. He presented a remarkable number of cases where the United States was forced in the early part of its history to insist upon non-interference by European powers in American political affairs. Among some of the more recent complications of this nature Knox cited the effort of Great Britain and France to co-operate with Spain to guarantee Spanish retention of Cuba. He said that the United States had acted wisely in keeping European influence away from Cuba and that Cuba had gained its independence and under American supervision had become secure.

He balked from ever again becoming an issue in the Monroe doctrine. In 1895 the United States had to interfere to secure arbitration of the controversy between Venezuela and Great Britain, which, while merely on its face a question of determining an undefined boundary line, did, the secretary said, in its essence appear "to involve the setting up of expanded colonial domination by Great Britain over a large part of the historical territory of Venezuela."

QUOTES ROOSEVELT.  
Secretary Knox backed up his arguments by quoting from the message of President Roosevelt, in which he had said that though it was not any business of the country to interfere to prevent the punishment of a Central American country by a European nation for an outrage committed against a citizen of that nation, and while this country would not go to war to prevent a foreign government from collecting a just debt against one of these countries, on the other hand it was the business of this country to prevent a European nation from attempting any punishment that assumed the form of territorial occupation and to prevent them, in this connection, from even temporarily occupying the customs houses of an American republic.

Roosevelt assumed that the only way to escape from the responsibility of this alternative was for the United States to put through some arrangement by which as much as possible of the Latin-American republics' obligations should be paid and that it was much better for this country to put through that arrangement than for a European nation to do so.

SECRETARY KNOX ALSO MANIFESTS KEEN INTEREST IN AFFAIRS OF EXPOSITION.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—President Charles C. Moore of the Panama-Pacific exposition company has been in the east for several weeks, and yesterday a telegram was received from him from Washington, telling of his reception at the White House and his cordial greeting by President Taft, who assured him of his interest in the celebration in 1915 and of his friendship for California.

We also received a very cordial reception," continues the dispatch, "from Secretary Knox at the State department. He used to spend his winters in California until official responsibility interfered. Secretary Knox is enthusiastic regarding the west, and says he has keen interest and direct concern in the success of the exposition by reason of the highly important relations it will have with foreign nations.

"This morning we held an important conference in Senator Perkins' office with the California congressional delegation, consisting of Senators Perkins, Works, and Congressmen Kahn, Hayes, Raker, Needham and Stevens."

STEAMER HARVARD HELD IN PORT BY ACCIDENT

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 20.—The fortunate discovery of a series of broken bolts in the rudder head of the big passenger steamer Harvard as it was about to sail with nearly 200 passengers for the north is believed to have prevented serious trouble for the big liner. As it is the rudder of the vessel had all but fallen from the mast fastenings. Three of the huge bolts by which it is kept in place had been broken off and one of the others was twisted and loose. Captain Jepson discovered the trouble and the vessel was tied up pending repairs.

ROBERTSON AGAIN NAMED BY FRESNO CHAMBER

FRESNO, Jan. 20.—William Robertson, secretary of the Fresno Chamber of Commerce for the last two years, has been reappointed for the ensuing year. President W. W. Phillips of the Chamber has named the following citizens to the committee that will manage the business of the Chamber of Commerce: Lorenzo W. Chandler, E. B. Manheim and J. F. Hixon.

Ways and Means—O. Woodward, A. O. Warner, and William Glass.

Commerce and Transportation—T. F. Brosnahan, F. J. Haber and Louis Kutner.

Statistics and Immigration—T. F. Saunders, L. O. Stephens and B. F. Shepherd.

Membership—D. D. Allison, W. D. Eastman, B. A. Harvey, F. D. Prescott and L. A. Advertising—N. J. Levinson, John W. Short and L. A. Nares.

GREAT MALLETT ENGINES TO STAY AT ROSEVILLE

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 20.—The Southern Pacific Company has ordered changes in the operation department on this division that will be of great importance to the city, having established him an additional passenger and freight near the Broadway depot in April, 1875, in which place he remained for about 25 years. He stood high in his profession and was a great lover of books. He spoke five languages fluently. He came to San Francisco in 1882 from St. Louis, Mo., at the age of 9 years, so was a pioneer of this state. His health had been poor for some months. He is survived by a widow and two children, the daughter being the wife of Mr. H. Muhr, son of Dr. H. Muhr.

\$135,000 STEAMSHIP COMPANY ORGANIZED

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—Articles of incorporation were filed today for the organization of a steamship company in the sum of \$135,000. The concern is organized to conduct a coast wide steamship business with the headquarters of the company at San Francisco.

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## UNITED ARTISANS INSTALL OFFICERS BEFORE BIG CROWD

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The public installation given by Golden Gate Assembly, United Artisans, that was held in Pythian Castle last Monday evening was witnessed by a large and enthusiastic audience.

Past Master Artisan J. W. Kirk was the installing officer and was assisted by A. C. Perogino and Mrs. Josephine Gearhard, escorting senior and junior conductors. The following officers were installed:

Past master, Mrs. Lela Felton; master artisan, Mrs. Edna Cunard Kirk; superintendent, Mrs. Lulu Luzzader; inspector, Charles Volz; secretary, E. G. Miller; treasurer, Mrs. Ella Miller; water; senior conductor, Mrs. Theresa Stokes; master of ceremonies, Mrs. Ellen McCauley; junior conductor, Mrs. J. H. Cunard; instructor, Mrs. Leona Peterson; warder, Mrs. Mary White; pianist, Mrs. Nellie Prates.

A picturesque feature of the evening was an exhibition by a drill team composed of sixteen young ladies under the leadership of Mrs. Leona Peterson.

The members of the drill team are: Miss Anita Luzzader, Miss Genevieve Grindley, Miss Tingley, Miss Anita Kelly, Mrs. Leona Peterson (Captain), Mrs. McNamara, Mrs. A. C. Perogino, Miss Escott, Miss Martha Rogers, Miss Anna Wetzel, Mrs. Louis Wetzel, Miss Crystal Peslie, Miss Brock, Miss Martin, Miss Mitchell, Miss Margie White and Mrs. Cecyl Wymore.

After the installation services the following program was rendered: Selection.....Artisan Orchestra Reading.....Miss Margurita Man Piano solo.....Mrs. Helen Marston Vocal solo.....Mrs. Randolph Selection.....Orchestra Vocal duet.....Mrs. C. D. Carnes and Dr. Howard Markle.

Address.....Mrs. Ella Watt of Portland, Ore.

Music.....Orchestra Dancing was then enjoyed by the merry throng until the wee hours of morning. Music was furnished by Mrs. Nellie Prates, musician of the local assembly.

BAYONET RESTORED TO STATE MILITIA GUNS

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 20.—Orders were issued from the office of the Adjutant General yesterday restoring the bayonet to the service in the National Guard, after having been discarded since 1904, and all citizen soldiers will be re-equipped with this weapon. Instructions from the War Department are to teach the men in bayonet drill and fencing.

Orders have been issued, also for officers to be equipped with whistles for use in issuing orders, they being considered necessary to make orders heard. First sergeants of infantry companies have been ordered to discard rifles and carry whistles, giving them rank of Third Lieutenants. Rifles were too cumbersome for them while performing their functions during drill. All extra equipment will soon be distributed.

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## NOTICE

The changing of house numbers now in progress in Oakland will necessitate corresponding corrections in the Directory of The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company.

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## DISPLAYS WEALTH THEN DISAPPEARS

Presumably Rich Lumber Man Drops Out of Sight Across Bay.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—The mysterious disappearance from this city of a wealthy lumber man who, when seen last, had his pockets lined with gold, and who had just started business on a large scale in this city, was called to the attention of the authorities this morning.

His name is J. H. Williams, and as the fact of his disappearance has not been brought to the attention of the police before, it is thought that he has no relatives in this vicinity.

In the middle of December Williams rented an office at 216 Grant building, had lettered "lumber" on the door, and rented a store room on Broadway street near Third, employing a carpenter to arrange shelves and partitions for the placing of stock. It was understood by the agents of the Grant building that Williams represented South American lumber interests. He, however, did not start any operations here up to the time that he was missed.

He was last seen on January 3, when he accosted the agent in front of the Grant building, asking him to whom he would pay his rent and displaying a handful of gold. Following the conversation Williams walked into the building and as near as can be determined no one has caught sight of him since. The few persons with whom he transacted the business of arranging for his offices, noticed that he was apparently a man of wealth and position and some are inclined to believe that he may have met with foul play.

LARGE CROWD AT FUNERAL SERVICE

Thousands of Mourners at the Last Rites Over Father Keller.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—Rev. Theodore Keller, the young priest who died suddenly Wednesday evening at the rectory of St. Brigid's Church, was buried yesterday in the priest's plot in Holy Cross cemetery. Funeral services were held in the church he had served as curate for over two years. Archbishop P. W. Riordan was present, and at the conclusion of the solemn high requiem mass blessed the catafalque.

The church was filled with mourners and friends. The chancel was too small to seat all the priests that came to attend the death service. Intermingled in the throng were the Christian brothers and a number of sisters of different orders.

The music of the service was provided by a choir of priests. They sang the old Gregorian chants, simply and sympathetically. Rev. John Cottle, pastor of St. Brigid's Church, was celebrant of the mass. He was assisted by Rev. John Doran, a teacher of St. Patrick's Seminary during the student days of the dead priest, and Rev. John F. Lacy of Pasadena, one of his classmates. Archbishop P. W. Riordan was in the sanctuary and was attended by Rev. M. B. Connolly and Rev. D. O. Crowley.

Rev. Francis M. Harvey, professor of English at St. Patrick's Seminary, Menlo Park, spoke the eulogy. He paid a tribute to the earnestness and zeal of the young priest in his student days and to his untiring energy in the service of the church during his short ministry. He said that though young in years he was old in the service of God.

The priest was borne to his grave by a number of fellow students, including Rev. C. E. Kennedy, Rev. Thomas Moran, Rev. John Harrington, Rev. John M. Byrne, Rev. John Casey, Rev. John F. Byrne, Rev. George Lacombe and Rev. Frank McElroy.

WM. R. HEARST TO ENTER THE ST. LOUIS FIELD

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 20.—After announcing that he had come here to take over immediately the St. Louis Star for Wm. R. Hearst, Foster Coats, one of the Hearst managing editors, gave out a second statement to the effect that he was here familiarizing himself with the paper's affairs. He said Hearst was anxious to get into the St. Louis field, but did not know whether a newspaper would be purchased or a new one started.

A HERO IN A LIGHHOUSE.  
For years J. S. Donahue, St. Louis, Mich., a civil war captain, as lighthouse keeper, averted awful wrecks, but a queer fact is, he might have been a wreck himself, if Electric Bitters had not prevented. "They cured me of kidney trouble and 'chills'." he writes. "After I had taken other so-called cures for years, without benefit and they also proved very slight. Now, at seventy, I am feeling fine." For dyspepsia, indigestion, all stomach, liver and kidney troubles, they're without equal. Try them. Only 50c, at Caged Bred.

DEMOCRATS DIVIDED FOR CLARK AND FOLK

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 20.—A new angle to the Speaker Champ Clark and former Governor J. W. Folk contest for the endorsement of Missouri Democrats for the presidential nomination developed by the adoption of a resolution by the Democrats of the 24th ward to divide their delegation equally between the rival candidates, Folk and Clark have pledged themselves to abide by the decision of the Democratic state convention, which will be held in February.

## ICE GORGES DO GREAT DAMAGE

Steamer and Thirty Barges Are Swept Down the Ohio River.

GALLIPOLIS, Ohio, Jan. 20.—Ice gorges at the Siding Hill bend, in the Ohio river, broke today. The gorges swept southward, doing great damage at Pomeroy Bend, where the steamer Tom Daddsworth and thirty barges were torn from their moorings and swept away. The crew of the Daddsworth remained with the steamer in spite of their peril and succeeded in saving it. The barges will be gathered in.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 20.—River men here are confronted with the worst ice situation in years. The entire gorge began to move early today, but caught again at the falls of Ohio and rests on the bottom, completely blocking the channel from the entrance to the Portland canal for many miles up-stream.

EMBEZZLER IS TAKEN.

STOCKTON, Jan. 20.—John C. Sterling, former cashier of the Union Safe Deposit Bank, who was sentenced to serve five years in San Quentin for embezzling \$15,000, was taken to the penitentiary yesterday by Deputy Sheriff Owen.

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# GOSSIP FROM SAN FRANCISCO WEEKLIES

## The Topic of the Hour

Everybody in society is on the tiptoe of expectation with regard to the Oriental ball, to be given on the 26th inst. at the St. Francis by Mr. and Mrs. Templeton Crocker. People who count the cost might be better pleased if no embargo had been placed on Japanese and Chinese costumes. Nearly everybody has something in that line which might be made to do service under pressure, and if brand-new costumes were required they can be had at short notice and at small outlay from the Japanese and Chinese establishments. But to create a real Oriental costume with touches of true Oriental magnificence, emblematic of gorgeousness, "east of Suez" and west of China and Japan means money. But what do people who have to count the cost want with invitations to an Oriental ball given and attended by Crockeresses who represent the first flight of California's "multis"?—The Wasp

## Roxburgh's Hair Expected

According to news received from England, the Duke and Duchess of Roxburgh are expecting the advent of their first child. The Duchess was Miss May Goelt of New York, and she married the eighth Duke of Roxburgh in November, 1903. It has been pointed out that had this marriage been a childless one the Roxburgh title, with its great wealth, would have passed to the son of another American woman, for the heir to the title in that case would be the Duke's brother, Lord Alastair Robert Innes-Ker, who was married in 1907 to Miss Anne Breeze of New York. They have two sons, and at the death of their father the elder would succeed. London is interested in the report, in which a London physician has sprung into prominence, for he has not only given assurance of the expectations of the Duke and Duchess of Roxburgh but, as well, of the wife of the Earl of Kerry, who is the heir of the Marquis of Lansdown. This marriage had also been childless for eight years. Next in line to Lord Kerry for the Lansdown title was his brother, Lord Charles Fitzmaurice, who married a daughter of the Earl of Minto, formerly governor-general of Canada.—The Wasp

## A Quotation From Shakespeare

"It was my misfortune," Mrs. Soley-Morle explains to me, "to put my trust in one who proved to be not my friend but my enemy. Not only was my recital ruined, my reputation was impugned. I know what class I belong to in London and to be criticized by someone who is not above criticism is more than I can stand. I had thoughts of bringing an action for defamation of character. Perhaps I should have brought it. But I dislike publicity. It is unnecessary for me to mention names. If you simply quote in this connection Shakespeare's words, 'Who steals my purse, steals trash; 'tis something, nothing; But he that filches from my good name, Robs me of that which neither enriches him, And makes me poor indeed. It will be much better than being too personal.'—Town Talk.

## Hubby Will Be At Home

The Thirtieth Infantry will go to Alaska. This is harsh news. The Thirtieth came here over two years ago from the Philippines, and has been more than popular both in town and at the post. The officers and their women folk have found a cordial welcome here, and thanks to their genial camaraderie, a new spirit of the utmost sociability has been instilled into service society in its attitude to civilian society. And now the Thirtieth has been ordered to the cold North. But you cannot beat the army woman. She follows her husband anywhere with relish, because she is usually in love with him. And already she is counting on the advantages of living in the land of the midnight sun.

"Just think of it," remarked a captain's wife with anticipation to a group at a tea table. "Up there our husbands will be always home with us."—News Letter.

## Discontent Is Still Growing

I referred not long ago to the disgust of the sea-going Navy when it heard that little Phil Andrews, a young commander, had been exalted to the chieftainship of the Bureau of Navigation of the Navy Department, with the rank of Rear-Admiral, over the heads of hard-working officers who never held coattails nor toadied to the political and social influences of Washington. The protest is becoming more audible daily. Only last week I received a letter from a naval officer, now at sea, in a far country, who says he is going to ask for retirement from active service, saying: "I don't like the idea of Phil Andrews being chief of bureau." Such an appointment, in addition to being a premium on parrot-knighting, breeds discontent and disappointment among fine officers who do the real hard work of the service. It is subversive of discipline and efficiency.—News Letter.

## Gone Abroad

The departure of Mrs. Wellington Gregg and her two charming daughters is a loss to local society, in which they have been so extremely popular. The friends of Mrs. Gregg say regretfully that her health is in such condition that her trip to Nauheim is absolutely essential, but they are in hopes that she will return completely cured. Miss Enid Gregg's announcement that she will devote her time to study abroad is interpreted by local society to mean that none of the cavaliers hereabout who paid her such marked attention have been as successful in their suit as they would wish, for there isn't the slightest hint of the preparation of a trousseau. The gossip says that if Miss Gregg shall happen to let her thoughts drift towards matrimony and conclude to make an "interesting announcement," the lucky man would be found to be a certain popular Stanford graduate who devoted several years to real estate before going into the banking business.—The Wasp.

## A Professor's Romance

The suicide of Signor Ventura affected the Bohemian colony more than anything that has occurred in a long time. Ventura was a man of education, and when the circumstances were at all favorable to him partook of the joy of living more than most people. That he should have died by his own hand was, therefore, proof that he found himself in extremities. Some years ago The Wasp announced in its society news that Ventura had become engaged to a wealthy widow, whose husband had been very prominent in Nevada mining affairs. Preparations for the wedding were under way when the prospective groom was seized with an attack of paralysis, and the wedding was declared off. In Bohemia the statement has passed current that the bride-to-be made a monthly allowance to her unfortunate fiancé, the amount being sufficient to support him in a very modest way. The checks were paid without interruption until recently, when the invalid professor of languages received formal notice through the attorneys of his benefactor that no further aid could be extended to him. The next chapter in the romance was the announcement of the professor's suicide.

When the engagement was originally announced it was contradicted by the lady's family, but intimate friends were aware that arrangements had been made for a trip abroad, and the lady ever purchased her steamer trunk. The business letter which notified the unfortunate professor that his stipend had been canceled was received by him on Christmas eve. With no prospect but destitution, he ended his life, and would have been buried in the Potter's Field but for the kind intervention of a patriotic Italian society.—The Wasp.

## Concerning the Progressive Dances

"To rag or not to rag" is still the burning question. I understand that the existing tariff for professors of rag dancing from the Ocean Beach and the Barbary Coast resorts is \$10 an hour for teaching downtown instructors, who in their turn impart the knowledge of the valuable art to their pupils of fashionable society. One of the most proficacious pupils is, I hear, that well known society favorite, Miss Jennie Blair who has long been known as one of the most graceful dancers of the Greenway set.

Peter Martin, who easily holds rank as the most distinguished of rag dancing patrons, has unfortunately been confined to his room recently with the grippe. Local society is beginning to be strongly of opinion that as Mrs. Peter Martin did not revisit San Francisco during the holidays, she has no intention of returning any time this summer.—The Wasp.

## Change in Miss Elkins' Affairs

A New York society paper says that gossip waxes fast about the financial straits in which the Elkins family is now involved, and which explain why Miss Katherine and her brother are keeping so very quiet. Old Uncle Tom left the bulk of his fortune to his favorite nephew, Tom Davis, and the remainder was divided without prejudice and favor among his other nieces and nephews. The fair Katherine, who hoped to get a few millions, was not even mentioned in the will and she can hope for nothing except from her mother. The estate of Senator Elkins, I am reliably informed, amounted to less than five million dollars, quite a difference from the twenty millions assigned him at the time of his death. Miss Katherine is expected to consider an heiress of great wealth, has only sufficient to make ends meet. She has greatly reduced her expenses and has dropped out of two of her clubs.—The Wasp.

## Overheard at the Columbia

It was at the end of the first act of "The Red Rose" and the usually gay member of our smart set wore such a gloomy look that his pal who stood beside him at the bar, was constrained to ask: "What's the matter with you? All evening you've been looking like a funeral." "Forgive me, old man, forgive me," was the answer. "Fact is, I'm terribly worried. I've just been made a father." "Both ways?" The parent nodded. "Girl or boy?" "Girl." "Then what's there to worry about? Isn't your wife pleased?" The depressed one gulped a sigh and proceeded to absorb Dutch courage. "She doesn't know about it yet," he groaned.—Town Talk.

## Enjoys Cigarette After Dinner

The Misses Emille and Josephine Parrott, who are spending the winter here as the guests of their grandmother, Mrs. Abbey Parrott, and the while, are enjoying a round of social affairs in the conservative old San Mateo set, are manifesting that their long stay abroad has had its effects upon their manners. Miss Josephine, especially, has become thoroughly European, and, in the little airs and graces of the Continental miss, is as dashing and daring as if she had been born on the very steps of the Casino at Monte Carlo. Instead of the old San Mateo, she is a devotee of the cigarette, and makes no attempt to hide her addiction to the weed. She always smokes after dinner. Mrs. Frederick Sharon is another member of the Paris-American set who is insistent about her after-dinner cigarette. The Parrott sisters will remain in California until the early summer.—News Letter.

## Mrs. Cloman's Luck

Friends of Mrs. Sidney Cloman, who have recently heard from her, have been told in her letters that she had discovered a gold mine; but, of course, does not yet know whether it will yield much ore or little. Mrs. Cloman is lucky, and while in London exhibited successfully in steel shares. She has a wonderful collection of ancient stones, many being fine opals, from her own mines in Mexico.—Town Talk.

## Sensible Miss Mintzer

That Mauricia Mintzer has inherited the Bohemian colony more than anything that has occurred in a long time. Ventura was a man of education, and when the circumstances were at all favorable to him partook of the joy of living more than most people. That he should have died by his own hand was, therefore, proof that he found himself in extremities. Some years ago The Wasp announced in its society news that Ventura had become engaged to a wealthy widow, whose husband had been very prominent in Nevada mining affairs. Preparations for the wedding were under way when the prospective groom was seized with an attack of paralysis, and the wedding was declared off. In Bohemia the statement has passed current that the bride-to-be made a monthly allowance to her unfortunate fiancé, the amount being sufficient to support him in a very modest way. The checks were paid without interruption until recently, when the invalid professor of languages received formal notice through the attorneys of his benefactor that no further aid could be extended to him. The next chapter in the romance was the announcement of the professor's suicide.

## The Story That Would Not Be Lost

I regret that I do not know who put the following advertisement in a San Francisco paper last week: "A brother and sister living in rather nice rooms on Russian Hill invite any young lady or gentleman to dinner at 6 p. m. Saturday evening. The former should prefer Arnold Bennett to Robert Chambers; the latter must not wear an Oxford tie. Subsequent acquaintance voluntary. Good cooking and sound wine."

This immediately recalls the advertisement inserted in a San Francisco paper some years ago by Perry Newberry, who is now writing very popular short stories in his bungalow at Carmel-by-the-Sea. Mr. and Mrs. Newberry had at that time a keen perception of the fine points of gastronomy, but the mental obscurity of the publishers made it difficult to utilize this priceless gift. They accordingly decided to send a messenger to Olympus, and prepared an advertisement stating in substance that two young artists were willing to exchange a appearance and Bohemian atmosphere to any host who could present credentials in the form of a menu, to show that he was a true gourmet. They received a reply well worthy of the ideal host whom they had summoned from the vasty deep.

The Newberrys appeared at the restaurant punctually, and immediately ran into an old friend—I think it was Gelett Burgess, who then was in his salad days. "Bertha and Petty, old man, I'm delighted to see you. I'm enthused," greeted Burgess with characteristic geniality. "But you must mind if I ignore you utterly. You see I'm expecting somebody of real consequence."

"Well," rejoined Newberry, "you may sit near us if you don't talk. We are waiting for the most important person in San Francisco—possibly the most important person living. We are not sure that he is living. But don't interrupt us."

For twenty-five minutes the three sat mutely, looking at the entrance to one of the old cafes that lent individuality to San Francisco before the fire. Finally Burgess groaned. "They died, I knew it. I knew it." "Ferry," sighed Mrs. Newberry, "that man will never appear. I felt it at three o'clock, but I didn't want to tell you. He is gone. I, who am psychic, tell you this."

## Wonderful Will the Costumes Be

The Oriental ball to be given by the Charles Templeton Crockers on the 26th of this month is straining the imagination of society. To accomplish the "oh, so different look" and yet appear in Oriental costume is a tax on the genius of the local dressmakers and designers. Mrs. Crocker, her sister, Jennie Crocker, and her mother, Mrs. William Irwin, have refused to lift the lid on the boxes which came through the customs house the other day, and in which repose the splendors of the Oriental costumes designed for them in Paris. Mrs. Gus Spreckels, Mrs. Fred Kohl and Mrs. Francis Carolan are not so secretive. Mrs. Spreckels has had a costume patterned after the remarkable gown of pearls and feathers which Gaby Deslys wore; Mrs. Francis Carolan has had a Cleopatra gown made, not the sort of gown which Bernard Shaw's rather pert and adolescent little lady would wear, but the kind of costume a very knowing, sinuous, languorous Cleopatra would don for just such an event; Mrs. Fred Kohl will go as the Queen of Sheba, and her little black muff dog which she has carried all winter does not match. The audience will have no regrets. I am sure, for Mrs. Kohl will make a wonderful Queen of Sheba.—News Letter.

## Feud of Reid Family

The report of a feud in the well known Reid family, of New England, Kentucky and California, has revived many details of the history of this noted family. Besides the Princess Rospigilist, Marie Reid, who married and was divorced from Colonel Parkhurst, there is another sister, Maud, now the wife of Cyrus Pierce of this city. Her first husband was K. K. Kennedy, better known as "Ku-Klux" Kennedy, who was a leader in the famous Ku Klux Klan during the reconstruction period following the Civil War, and a type of the hot-blooded young Southerner of that time. The Reid Twins, Harney and Rowan Reid, now in California, were well known in Washington, D. C., during their youth. Chester Reid, the eldest son, has been in San Francisco since last December, was a page in the United States Supreme Court when a lad, and later served in the United States Geological Survey. John Rowan, on the maternal side, was a distinguished map in Kentucky, where the family is among the highest.—News Letter.

## Furnished Food for Comment

The luncheon given to Forbes-Robertson by the Civic League Club still continues to furnish food for comment and cause for mirth. Not that the luncheon was in any way undignified or mismanaged, but because of the motley array of temperaments assembled at the table where sat the guest of honor, and of the embarrassment of the League when it found that its soiree had suddenly been transformed into a polite mob.

In the first place, the distinguished Britisher was late, and it wasn't in the least what he meant. He, as a matter of fact, wanted to have the ordeal over as quickly as possible, because he detests speaking in public. He says that there is a vast difference between mouthing lines written by some one else and voicing what is accepted as one's own views. However, that is a digression. He was late, a whole hour late, and when he arrived, was escorted by Mrs. Frank Deering to the dais where the "honor" table was set. The Colonial ballroom of the St. Francis was crowded to capacity, and many had begun to eat. The eating part was all right, too, as far as Forbes-Robertson was concerned, because he, likewise, detests eating. Piloted by Mrs. Deering, he threaded his way to his reserved place, and found that Mrs. Eleanor Martin had, with a nonchalance for which her critics give her scant credit, usurped the place. Another chair and plate were hastily brought in, and the feast proceeded. The guest of honor the while explaining to Miss Todd, who sat on his left, that he really understood, doncherknow, that the repast had been set for one o'clock instead of twelve. The intervening hour had been filled with diversion for those who waited. It was worth, to many, the price of the collation to see Mrs. Martin gravitate from an obscure seat at the end of the table to the chair of honor. She blinked in a dazed sort of way when shown to the first place, then, as if she felt that the Martin prestige deserved better treatment she smiled to the "middle front." However, Miss Helen Todd, chairman of the Civic League, and ex-officio majordomo of the occasion, had more recalcitrance than that of Mrs. Martin to deal with. One of the ladies of the press, for whom a table had been reserved, hotly resented Miss Todd's request that the reporters give up their places to accommodate a group of personal guests. The lady reporter kept her seat, and Miss Todd headed away, abashed that so much backbone should exist in a woman. Then, to add to the comedy of errors, Mrs. William H. Crocker arrived to find that there was no room for her at the table of honor where she had been asked to sit. With the charming amiability for which she is noted, Mrs. Crocker protested that inasmuch as she was a stranger in name only, she would much prefer a less conspicuous seat.—News Letter.

## Marked Down But Sold Up

This is the season of the year when goods are marked down but sold up. Most people imagine that the close of the holiday period means a general lowering of prices, and this fallacy is counted upon by the shrewd merchants, who put a dollar article in their windows, bearing a label with "\$2" scratched out, and "\$1.50" placed above it. It booms trade and brings in big money. I saw a suit of pajamas in a Market street shop the other day, upon which \$2.50 was reduced to \$1.90. I priced that same suit a month ago and was told its price was \$1.50. Thus it runs through a whole line of articles. The practice makes trade brisk. Likewise, it loots the pocketbooks of the plain, unthinking citizens. Look out for it.—News Letter.

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## The New Owner of the Sun

Nothing quite so interesting has happened in American newspaperdom in a long time as the purchase of the New York Sun from the Laffan estate by William C. Relick. Relick is well known to New York newspapermen, but his personality is a good deal of a puzzle; hence they are wondering what he will do with the paper. He has never shown signs of having a sense of humor, so it was feared that the Sun brand of humor might not appeal to him. But the tone of the editorial page has not changed. Relick is forty-seven years old, and has come along fast. He began his newspaper career in Philadelphia, his birthplace, twenty-eight years ago. He was educated in that city, and prepared for Harvard, but never had the advantages of college training. But he had something that no college could give—an eye for a story and a nose for news. Also he had energy, force, and the physical strength to work many hours a day without losing speed. And he had ambition, too. His chance came when he was working as the New Jersey reporter of the New York Herald. Some children were bitten by a mad dog in a New Jersey town, and Relick, putting two and two together, saw the chance to make a big feature for his paper. The Pasteur treatment for rabies was then in its infancy, and Relick suggested to James Gordon Bennett, the proprietor of the Herald, that he take the children to Paris and have them treated by the eminent physician. Bennett saw the news value of the idea and jumped at it. He also called Relick over to Europe and made him editor of the London and Paris edition of the Herald.—Town Talk.

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## To Be a Show Place

Fred Sharon plans to make the Sharon estate at Menlo Park into one of the great show places of the United States, and, having this end in view, is already expending hundreds of thousands of dollars upon its improvements, one of which is the erection of a dam across one of the largest canyons to catch the storm waters for the purpose of forming a lake. The present house is rather old-fashioned, being of the time of Senator Sharon, and has been famous for the eminent men who have been entertained in it from President Grant to lesser luminaries. Plans are being drawn for a more modern and pretentious residence. The landscape gardening, which is being specially arranged, will take several years to complete, and one of the sights will be a whole mile of rhododendrons.—The Wasp.

## Interests Local Society

Local society was considerably interested in the telegraphic announcement of a possible divorce between Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hellman of Paris. Mrs. Hellman (nee Keyes) has lived abroad for many years. She is the daughter of the late Winfield Scott Keyes, the son of the late General Keyes. Alexander Keyes, who married Miss Kate Salisbury, was her father's half brother. Her mother was the late Flora Hastings, the daughter of Judge Hastings, Supreme Justice of California, who left a vast estate, and was so many years a leader in public life. Mrs. John Darling (nee Hastings) the wife of Colonel Darling, U. S. A., retired, is Mrs. Hellman's aunt. Mrs. Maude of San Francisco is her cousin. After the death of her father Miss Keyes resided abroad, and in Paris met Alfred Hellman, a wealthy Englishman who resided in the French metropolis.

The late Winfield Scott Keyes, like all that family, was of very remarkable ability. His brother, Dr. Edward Keyes, acquired distinction as one of the greatest physicians in New York, and Alexander Keyes distinguished himself as a brilliant lawyer. Winfield Scott Keyes was educated at the German universities, and spoke many languages.—The Wasp.

## Her Gorgeous Evening Coat

Quite the most gorgeous thing in evening coats in San Francisco is the shimmering, Kitty Gordon green satin cloak being worn this month by Miss Marion Newhall. No wonder Mrs. William Miller Graham, of Santa Barbara, London and other worldly places, is partial to the charming San Francisco girl whose originality in dress is not the least of her charms. This coat is made on the lines of the swath-like things seen in the Paris fashion-plates, and gives the wearer the air and bearing of a young Hebe. The gossips persist in coupling the name of Miss Newhall and Penrice Hill, recently of New York. The romance dates from last summer at Santa Barbara.—News Letter.

## The Ladies Are Shut Out

The reputation for gallantry which the members of the newspaper guild have acquired through many years of ladies' nights at the Press Club seems doomed to decay. At the last meeting of the board of directors a resolution was passed by a vote of five to four excluding women from the club. There will be no more dances at the Press Club while the present administration continues in office. There will be no more links at which feminine talent will be enlisted for the delectation of the members. There will be no more entertainments for visiting women of the stage. The female of the species will henceforth be regally excluded. The last affair at the Press Club to which women were invited was the supper, links and dance given to Anna Held and the women of her company by Charles Hannon. It was a great success in every way. Even the misogynists of the board of directors who are led by President W. W. Naughton, have to admit that. But there has always been a minority opposition to the presence of women in the Press Club, just as there has been similar opposition from time to time in the Bohemian, University, Olympic and other clubs which have opened their portals to the fair sex. That opposition in the Press Club, be it said, still remains a minority opposition, but it seems to have been sufficiently vigorous to impress five out of the nine members of the board of directors. So they issued their ukase. One of the first things that happened was that the members of the entertainment committee presided over by W. Russell Cole sent in their resignations. They felt as they had sponsored the affairs to which women had been invited, the action of the board was an expression of lack of confidence.—Town Talk.

## The Cunningham Ball

The ball which Mr. and Mrs. George Whitte are to give on Friday evening, February 2, at the Fairmont in honor of the Misses Evelyn and Genevieve Cunningham, daughters of Mrs. J. Ashmore Folger, is to be one of the most brilliant of the season. Mr. and Mrs. Whitte have given orders that no expense shall be spared. In addition to that these fortunate young girls have been given the privilege of making up their own guest list, something which is rarely granted to buds these days. The Misses Cunningham are daughters of Mrs. Folger by her first husband. They are granddaughters of old

## The Return Of the Presents

Those of you who sent engagement presents to Miss Elena Robinson have not received them back again. Let me give you a word of advice. Don't give them to any other engaged girl. You'll need them for Miss Robinson again, or I'm badly mistaken. Not that she is going to renew her engagement to Brewster Cameron. No. That is off for good. But put those presents away for a while.—Town Talk.

## The Honest Grocer—

Won't sell you what he knows to be an imitation. Some grocers, for the sake of a little extra profit, foist imitations upon the buying public.

A manufacturer has lately placed on the Oakland market, an inferior brand called

## Ground Chocolate

Don't be fooled in buying an imitation Ground Chocolate. See that it bears the name

## Ghirardelli

the only original and genuine.

Sold to two generations of Westerners. Don't be fooled. Get the Genuine.

## Ghirardelli's Ground Chocolate

D. Ghirardelli Co. Since 1852. San Francisco



## OAKLANDER SEEKS FORTUNE IN PARIS

Christopher Normandy Will Lay Claim to Estate of \$60,000,000.

With visions of obtaining a goodly share of a \$60,000,000 fortune left by Madame Marie Huet, who died in Paris about a year ago, Christopher Normandy of 1362 West street, left for Montreal yesterday, where he will confer with a sister, Mrs. Appollinaire Fortune, and a brother, Henry Normandy, prior to sailing for the French capital, where he will place his claims in the courts.

Normandy is the oldest of the heirs and will act as guardian for the rest of them in pressing the claim. He will receive about \$4,000,000 of the fortune, besides the \$20,000,000 which has been willed to him. His brother and sister will receive about the same amount.

Marie Huet was the widow of the late Alexander Huet, a captain in the English army who lost his life in the Indian war.

At the time of her husband's death she was living in England, and received the full share of his fortune, which amounted to a little more than \$39,000,000.

Following her husband's death she took up her residence in Paris, and by successful speculations increased her fortune to \$60,000,000.

Mrs. Huet was born in Canada in 1820 and was married in 1839. She is survived only by her two nephews, Christopher and Henry Normandy, and a niece, Mrs. Appollinaire Fortune.

Word of the fortune was first received by Normandy a year ago. The latter received word through friends in New York, who believed him to be the proper heir.

It shortly developed that F. Normandy was not the heir, and he transferred all letters and data that he had received to C. Normandy of this city.

Communication was had with Mrs. Fortune, who immediately established her identity to the old Norman de Beau-sollet family of France.

Normandy expects to be gone from Oakland for nearly a year, as it will probably take that time for him to settle the estate. He has a son in this city with whom he has made his home. The son is S. A. Norman, who changed the family name shortly after the Franco-Prussian war. It was that fact which led to the mix-up in the bequest of Mme. Huet.

**MOVING PICTURE REEL TELLS OF DANIEL BOONE**

An historical photoplay in two reels, 2000 feet in length, will be seen at the Broadway Theatre today, illustrating the "Life and Battles of Daniel Boone."

Daniel Boone, one of the most adventurous of all "pioneers of civilization," to whose courage, endurance and skill, America owes so much, was born in Virginia, at an early period, he emigrated to North Carolina, but his love of the wilderness not being sufficiently gratified here, he planned an expedition, and with a few adventurous men entered into Kentucky.

On June 7, 1769, he reached the famous Red River, was captured by a tribe of hostile Indians, who finally adopted him. At the first opportunity he escaped and fought his way back to a settlement.

Shortly after, while agent for a Carolina company, he built a fort on the site now known as Boonesborough, and here was fought the greatest Indian battle in the history of that period.

In 1777 that place was attacked several times by bands of Indians who were repulsed with heavy losses. On the 6th of August, 1777, that famous battle of Boonesborough was fought, and offered by French Canadian renegades attacked the fort. In spite of repeated assaults, that little garrison of less than fifty men set at defiance its enemies, who were finally obliged to return with heavy losses.

Besides being famous as a patriot and hunter, he was also noted as a successful hunter and trapper, which vocation he followed to almost the last few years of his life. He died a peaceful death in his son's home in 1820, surrounded by his children and grandchildren.

In this wonderful life, great pains have been taken to accurately reproduce the famous battles, as well as locations mentioned in history, and the result is a magnificent production for Indian and pioneer life, seldom, if ever, equalled in moving pictures.

Several other just-out pictures with excellent music will complete the exceptional program to be witnessed by visiting today, Oakland's popular family theater, The Broadway Theater.

**POLICE ASKED TO HUNT FOR ANTONIO I. PAVAO**

John Pavo of 1655 East Thirty-second street has asked the police to aid him in the search for his 14-year-old brother, Antonio Ignacio Pavao, who left home last Tuesday morning and has not been seen since.

The elder brother believes the boy may have met with some misfortune. Antonio is described as a boy of dark complexion, weighing 90 pounds, 4 feet 8 inches in height, with black curly hair and dark eyes. He wore a dark suit of clothes, long trousers, green soft hat, black and white soft shirt.

**M. J. WHITE LECTURES.** ALAMEDA, Jan. 20.—Secretary M. J. White of the San Francisco Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, lectured last night in parish of Christ Episcopal Church. The lecture was for adults. The lecture was a series of narratives of child life as White has found juvenile existence during his long career as secretary of the "cruelty society."

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**A GOOD RECIPE FOR YOUR SUNDAY DINNER**

**A New and Delicious Frozen Pudding Made by Ye Liberty**

You can cook your own dinner, but when it comes to the dessert let the Ye Liberty furnish that; they are good for making delicious frozen confections that give the proper finish to the feast.

For this Sunday the Ye Liberty are preparing a brand new dessert; it has never been served on this coast before and is sure to make a hit. It is to be known as the Ye Liberty frozen pudding, and will cost \$1 per quart delivered.

This pudding is made to represent a cantaloupe and has center of maple mousse with ground nuts and French fruit, the outside shell is made of delicious orange ice and is tastily decorated.

In serving this pudding next Sunday you will give your guests a decided treat—something new and delicious that they have never tasted before.

You can phone in your orders Saturday night or Sunday morning and be sure of prompt delivery.

Telephones Oakland 2194, Home A-2194.

**YE LIBERTY,** 1109 Broadway, bet. 12th and 13th sts.

## COURT TAKES GIRL AWAY FROM HER CRUEL FATHER

Child Tells of Many Beatings Parent Inflicted With Broomstick and Strap

Whipped with a broomstick handle because she disobeyed her father on one occasion by playing with boys of her own age, 14-year-old Millie Allen was up before Judge Everett Brown yesterday in the juvenile court while the Court inquired into the alleged abuse of the father, James Allen.

It was a sad tale of cruel treatment which the witnesses told about the pretty, demure little girl of Latin blood who sat quietly through all the testimony, at times gently crying. The story went that the father, a man of forty years or thereabouts, with a jaw that closed like a steel trap, had made this young girl work like a slave in caring for him, his house and two other motherless children. The mother died about a year ago, and since that time Millie has done all the housework, baked and scrubbed and washed and ironed; in short, has done all the work of a grown woman for a family of herself and the three others.

**CURSES AND BLOWS.** Her recompense for this has been curses and blows. The neighbors called to testify in the court declared that the father came home drunk on an average of once a week, besides having liquor in the house, from which he imbibed freely in the meantime. At such times the curses hurled at the head of the child were described as unutterable.

As for pleasure that the girl had, according to the father, after she had finished all her work, a book to read. If, however, the poor, tired little body and weary brain were too dull to get anything out of the reading, then the father whipped the child for not doing as she had been told to do, the whipping being sometimes with the broomstick and sometimes with a leather strap. Or, Millie might play around the yard with other girls, but not with boys, and when once she did, the particular whipping about the slim little legs was the result.

Justified, too, obstinately, by the father, who declared he thought he did what he should when Millie refused to obey him.

It was a sordid story of abuse and harsh treatment of a child forced to be a slave, an old woman before her time. Yet fortunately in such a case in this day and age, there is a remedy, the juvenile court, which fulfills its second function of protection of the child as well as punishment of him.

So Millie was taken from her hard-hearted father and committed to the custody of the probation officers, whose task it will be to try to make life something more than a round of drudgery and punishment for her.

**CIGARETTE SMOKER.** Then there was the case of Anton Gonzales, also fourteen, who might

have been handled with a bit more rigor by his father to make a better boy of him. The boy has been a delinquent for nearly five years, during which time he has been twice confined in the home for boys at Watsonville and now is sent out of his parents' charge once more, this time to the Boys' and Girls' Aid society in San Francisco. That was because Anton has a habit of taking things now and then which are not his, he has been arrested on the streets of East Oakland, while he lives in West Oakland, as late as midnight, and most of all because he is an inveterate smoker of cigarettes picked up on the streets wherever he can find them. His hands were stained with the nicotine as a result of his "snipe shooting" and the testimony in court was that his influence in that direction has been so bad on the younger brothers at home that he is the youngest, seven, is also nearly as adept as he at puffing the weed.

**WEEK TO CLEAN UP.** So Anton goes to San Francisco, where he will be watched and where his influence may not be so detrimental on his younger brothers. In the meantime, however, what hope is there for them with such an example before them thus far, a father who is a bootblack and never at home and a mother who appeared only a mountain of flesh and a monument of inefficiency as a mother of the race?

More members of the Latin race appeared on the scene when Mario Gonzales, one of the five boys who robbed a grocery store of money, shoe strings, knives and all sorts of other things, came to have his fate decided. He was up last week, but was so clumsy in appearance, so grimy that Judge Brown sent him back to the detention home for another week to get cleaned up a bit. The work was well done, and Mario was another committed to St. Vincent's Catholic home. This was not so much because of his past deeds, for he had been the first boy to confess to the robbery, but in an effort to get him away from home where he was having absolutely no training. It nearly broke his heart to be sent away, but at the same time there were some recompenses, for he had his choice of a place to go and chose St. Vincent's, for a chum of his, Jimmy Padroni, was there, and if he went there he "couldn't prevail."

Yesterday's session of the court was the last which Judge Brown will have in charge, his place being taken for the coming year by Judge Frank B. Ogden, Judge of the Probate court, who has already presided over the juvenile division on two previous terms. Judge Ogden will probably hold his first session next Friday, January 26.

**COMMISSIONER CLEARS HIMSELF**

Wood Quickly Proves Forbidden Birds Belong to Another.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—When the sleuths of the game commission spotted frozen birds carefully tucked away in cold storage at the St. Francis Hotel there was quite a sensation. The responsibility for having violated the game laws seemed to hang over the head of James Wood, the manager of the hotel, and to make matters more surprising, he is a newly appointed member of the police commission under Mayor Rolph.

Woods was out of town when the discovery was made, but lost no time in returning and soon cleared his name from having any connection with the birds. He explained that they belonged to Captain Henry E. Morton, commander of the Pacific Mail liner Mongolia and a guest at the hotel.

The game commission accepted the explanation that during the time the ice box on the Mongolia was being overhauled it was necessary for the captain to keep his birds on ice. Morton, it is said, brought the birds from Shanghai for his good friend William E. Hamilton, special deputy collector of the port, but he did not get them, it was explained by friends.

"He was going to give them—some of them, anyway—to Fred Henshaw. That's who they were for."

**SAN JOSE CANDY MAN IS GRANTED DIVORCE**

SAN JOSE, Jan. 20.—On the ground that his wife left him over a year ago, O. A. Rudolph was granted a final decree of divorce from Jennie Rudolph. Mrs. Rudolph did not contest the suit. The couple went into the divorce court as a result of the disagreement which resulted in the granting of a divorce to Mrs. Viola Partridge from Captain H. L. Partridge, the prominent local attorney Mrs. Rudolph blames Mrs. Partridge for both suits. Property rights were settled out of court. Mrs. Rudolph taking an established confectionary business while Rudolph assumed control of another confectionary shop formerly conducted by both.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**SLAYER OF THREE DELAYS SENTENCE**

Prantikos, Who Shot Two Policeman at Ferry Station, to Hang.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—Pooles Prantikos, slayer of Patrolmen Thomas Finnelly and Charles Castor, found guilty of murder in the first degree, was arraigned for judgment at 10:15 o'clock this morning by Superior Judge Lawlor. The announcement that a motion would be made for a new trial, prevented the imposition of the sentence at this time, but the court took occasion to say that he was forced to impose the death penalty by the verdict of the jury.

Counsel for Prantikos will argue for a new trial on next Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock and in the event that the court denies the plea, the accused man will be sentenced to be hanged.

Prantikos was pointed out to the officers whom he killed as a murderer of a countryman in Greece, and by his own confession has upon his conscience, the death of three men.

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**FORT FAILS TO MAKE COLONEL SPEAK MIND**

NEWARK, N. J., Jan. 20.—Former Governor John Franklin Fort of New Jersey, who is regarded as a progressive Republican, gave out a statement yesterday saying that in a personal interview with Colonel Roosevelt he had urged upon the colonel the duty of making it known whether he nominated for President by the Republican national convention, he would accept.

"It is not necessary for him to be an active candidate; in fact, he could not be expected to be," said Fort, "and I have not urged him to be, but have only asked that he give assurance to other friends and myself that he will not withstand a strong popular demand for him to accept the nomination."

"I have no authority to speak for Colonel Roosevelt, but I know his nature and I do not believe it will be long before he will make his position clear."

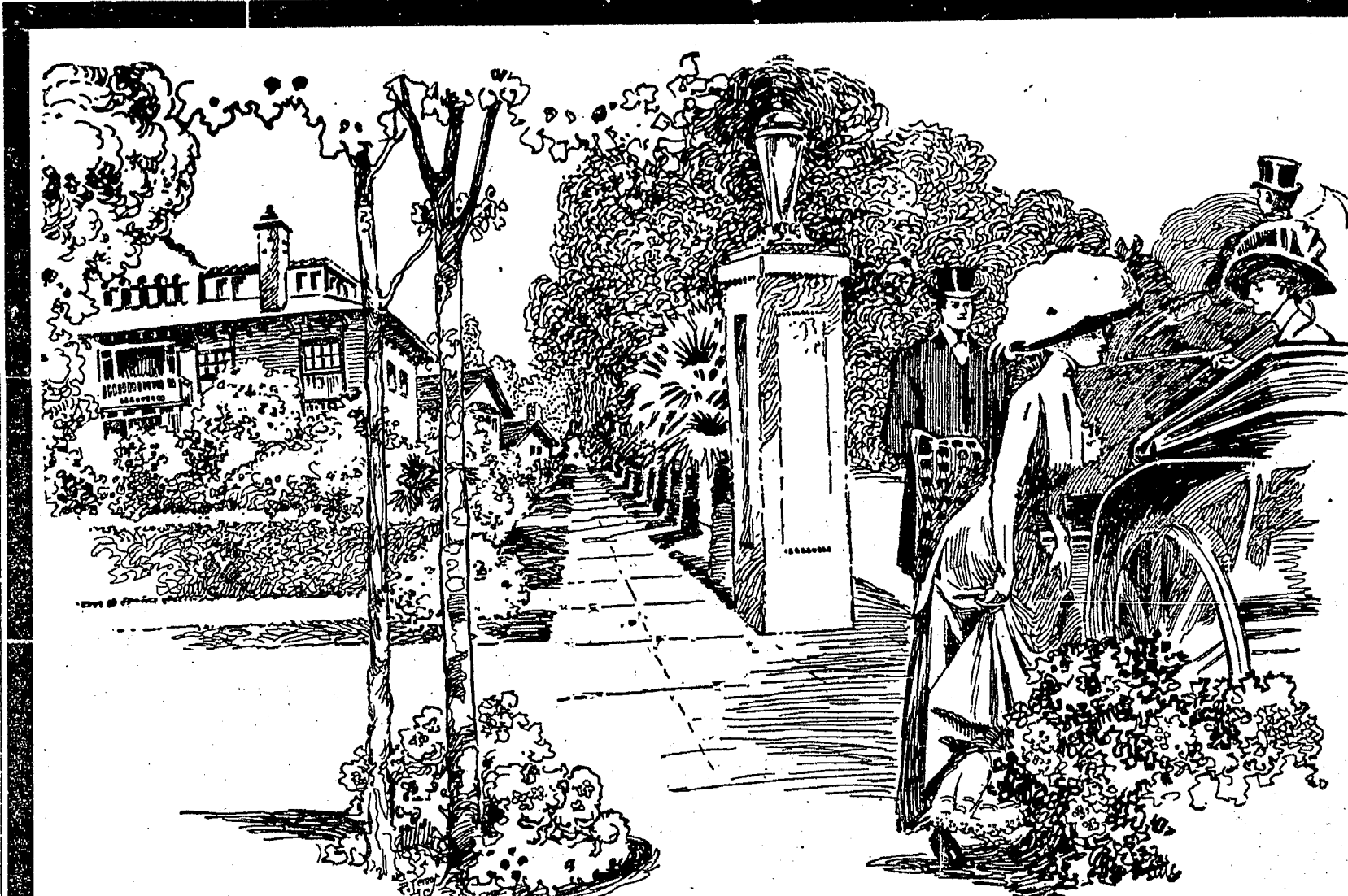
**PUTS BABY TO BED THEN KILLS SELF**

Clerk Commits Suicide While Wife Spends Evening With Friends.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—During the absence of his wife and while his little 3-year-old girl lay sleeping in an adjoining room, Edward P. Fitzpatrick, a clerk, committed suicide shortly after midnight. Fitzpatrick resides at 2182 Market street, and his wife had been out spending the evening with friends. Putting his little girl to bed, Fitzpatrick laid his plans for ending his life. He arranged everything in perfect order, took a revolver and shot himself in the head, dying instantly. Neither the shot nor the commotion which followed the discovery of the body by his wife on her return awoke the little sleeper.

Fitzpatrick was 40 years old and no cause other than general despondency and worry can be ascribed for his deed.

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## CONFESSES KILLING RICH PORTLANDER

Saloon Keeper, Arrested for Murder, Admits He Slew Edson Mutch.

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 20.—Ernest Ottinger, a saloonkeeper, who was arrested early today on suspicion in connection with the murder of Edison M. Mutch, whose body was found in the rear of Ottinger's saloon, confessed to the murder before District Attorney Cameron today and will be charged with murder in the first degree.

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## PATROLMAN FISHES AND CATCHES THIEF

Former Sleuth Finds Man Who Has Been Stealing Papers From Door.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—Patrolman Louis Cornelius was formerly a district sleuth attached to the Bush-street station, and he is nothing if not shrewd and cunning in his methods of capturing crooks. Recently, however, he came upon a burglar, and only today, after the most ingenious figuring, did he capture his man.

Mrs. J. McDermott of 879 Golden Gate avenue complained that her two morning papers were stolen almost every day. Cornelius watched the house carefully, but every time he was on the lookout nothing happened, while on a morning when was not in the vicinity the papers disappeared.

Today as soon as the dailies were placed on the mat at 6 a. m., the officer who had remained inside the house, softly opened the door and attached two small threads to them, holding taut the lines and waiting as does a fisherman for a bite. For an hour he lay in hiding, and then quick and sharp came the nibble, and he threw open the door to arrest Charles Allen, aged 28, whom he looked for petty larceny.

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## BODY IS FOUND IN GAS-FILLED ROOM

Switchman Succeeds in Taking Life On Second Attempt.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—The second attempt at suicide on the part of C. Moss, a switchman, employed by the Southern Pacific Company, and living at 879 Bryant street, was successful this morning when the man's dead body was found in a gas-filled room by the landlord, Alex Algren.

Moss has been despondent since he met with an accident on the course of his duty which resulted in an injury to his leg. Last night he stuffed a blanket in the cracks of the door, threw open three jets and calmly went to sleep.

About a month ago Moss jumped into the bay in an effort to end his existence, but was rescued.

**ACCUSES HUSBAND OF SEEKING ANOTHER WIFE**

Accusing her husband not only of numerous forms of cruelty to her and of desertion, Mary C. Essler, in her complaint for divorce against William Essler, declared that for the last year he has been busy corresponding with a matrimonial agency endeavoring to find a new wife. She says that he threatened her life on several occasions and also vowed he would take her with an accident on the course of his duty which resulted in an injury to his leg. Last night he stuffed a blanket in the cracks of the door, threw open three jets and calmly went to sleep.

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## DESERTED WIFE DRINKS POISON

Mrs. E. B. Shaver Swallows Iodine, But Physicians Save Her Life.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—Because her husband had left her, Mrs. E. B. Shaver, 35 years old, attempted to kill herself at her home, 3116 Twenty-fourth street. She swallowed a quantity of iodine, but after the fluid had burned her throat she screamed out, and neighbors who found her had her conveyed to the Central Emergency Hospital. She was placed upon the operating table and after working over her for an hour it was said that she would recover.

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# THE MEDDLER



MRS. JOHN P. LITTLEFIELD, a former belle, now revisiting Piedmont.

MRS. KIRBY CRITTENDEN, who has many friends in this city.

OAKLAND is immensely interested in the "Loan Exhibition" now being arranged by members of the San Francisco smart set. It is one of the greatest things in an educational way that has been planned on the coast in many months. It will be given at the Palace Hotel from April 3, to 17, and will represent the finest art display ever seen on the coast. It is to be given for the benefit of the Red Cross Hospital in San Mateo, and among the leading patronesses will be Mrs. Whitelaw Reid, Mrs. William Crocker, Mrs. Francis Carolan and Miss Jennie Crocker. We have never had a loan exhibition of such magnitude, for the exhibition will include originals from such masters as Millet, Corot, Copley, Gainsborough, Daubigny, and, in fact, there will be many paintings of the Barbizon School, that famous school of painting developed in the depths of the fine old Fontainebleau forest. Many of San Francisco's fine paintings were destroyed in the great fire, but the people on our coast are artistic and enough great pictures were saved to make an exceedingly fine loan exhibit. One remembers that some years ago Mrs. William Crocker placed on exhibition her famous painting of Millet's, "The Man With the Hoe," for the benefit of our West Oakland Home. It had brought fame to Millet, but it also brought literary fame to Edwin Markham, inspiring his famous poem, "The Man With the Hoe," which began with the famous line:

"Bowed with the weight of centuries he stands."

This side of the bay ought to be largely represented in the loan exhibition. Mrs. Hearst, who is very artistic herself and has always encouraged art in every line, has some very fine pictures at the Hacienda, among them some notable Gainsboroughs.

Nowhere can be found a better art critic than Frank C. Havens. He can tell you at a glance to what school a painting belongs, and, if it is at all notable, where it was exhibited. He has original paintings, among them a fine Veretschagin, and in his collection are paintings which have carried off honors in the salons of Paris and London. He has a most wonderful art gallery and some of his paintings will add materially to the

interest of the loan exhibition at the Palace.

## ORIGINAL WHISTLER IS OWNED HERE.

An original Whistler is owned by Mr. and Mrs. Noyes of this city, and a very beautiful original portrait by Asti was given to Mrs. Harry W. Bishop by Mr. Bishop for one of her Christmas gifts.

Two wonderfully fine portraits in oil are owned by Mrs. Berthe Nopper of this city. They are portraits of her grandparents and are of eighteenth century work, painted in Paris. They are among the most remarkable and most valuable portraits on the coast. One hopes that this fine loan exhibition may include the best work of some of the most notable artists on the coast.

Foremost in portrait painting must come Miss Margaret Herrick, of whom critics say that in wonderful depth of tone, in rare colorful studies, her work resembles that of the old masters. Miss Herrick has genius—the keen artistic perception which is a racial inheritance in the Herrick family, has deepened to genius of a high order in Margaret Herrick, and her portrait painting ranks her with the great artists who have achieved fame in their own day.

Miss Herrick's study of her niece, Alice Requa, the little daughter of the Mark L. Requa, equals in fine tones and in the lovely young curves of the face, much that is best in Bouguereau's work. One would like to see on exhibition some of the fine portraits that Orrin Peck has painted, especially the wonderful portrait of the late Mrs. Apperson, Mrs. Hearst's mother.

At Arbor Villa the F. M. Smith's have an exceedingly fine picture of a Dutch mother in a Dutch interior that represents the best work of Clara McChesney.

One would like to see also on exhibition Mr. Richard Partington's portrait of Mrs. Frank C. Havens, which shows Mr. Partington's rare work at its best.

Real greatness makes an artist most unassuming, and for that reason one has not heard so much of IL Dietrich Gremke as his wonderfully good work deserves. Mr. Gremke's painting is notable for its superb detail, reminding one of the mediaeval masterpieces, those where attention to detail was marvelous, and these which have stood the test of time. There is life in Mr. Gremke's pic-

tures; motion is represented, and the color scheme is richly toned.

The best work done anywhere, of the great San Francisco ruins, was done by Mr. Gremke. In his work was the dignity, the majesty, the awe that must lie in the heart of a great desolation.

So it happens that when a great "loan exhibition" is planned it is evident that from our side of the bay might come a series of pictures of rare artistic excellence, to bring an added charm to a collection that bids fair to be as wonderful as it is interesting.

## MRS. BISHOP HOSTESS AT BRIDGE AFTERNOON.

Among the most elaborate of the bridge afternoons of the week was that planned by Mrs. Harry W. Bishop in honor of her sister, Mrs. Greenough, who has been her guest for part of the winter.

Mrs. Bishop entertained at her home on Alice street, and a large number of guests, enjoyed an afternoon planned for them by a cordial and hospitable hostess.

Mrs. Bishop's home is exceedingly artistic, and the lovely decorations added to the picturesque environment. The color tones of the scheme were in green and gold, and great brakes and ferns were arranged with much taste and skill. The score cards were exceedingly attractive; in white and gold, with Mrs. Bishop's monogram very beautifully engraved in gold and green.

Progressive bridge was played and the prizes were well chosen and exceedingly handsome.

The first prize was a very lovely large box of circassian mahogany, beautifully ornamented with brass trimmings and lined with purple topped brocade now so fashionable in social circles. The box was very exquisitely designed and the fortunate winner was Mrs. Alexander Marx, who plays an exceedingly good game of bridge. The second prize was a most artistic tray with a handsome design of tapestry, and it was won by another good bridge player, Mrs. J. Walter Scott. There were lovely prizes for the lowest score, and a beautiful cup was the consolation prize, for which every one could try.

Mrs. Bishop was assisted in receiving her guests by her mother, Mrs. Jackson, and by her sisters. They make a very devoted family, and they have developed a home life that is in every way charming. One of the best players at the bridge after-

noon was Mrs. Greenough, who has recently come from Denver, where they play bridge some times all day, and beginning again after dinner in the evening. Most of the army women play an exceedingly good game of bridge, because they have so much leisure on their hands.

Mrs. Bishop, who has just returned from the East, looked exceedingly handsome in a New York gown, which was planned in a very stunning fashion. The gown was of white, of the satin charmeuse which is now so fashionable. It was very beautifully trimmed in gold and green lace, and Mrs. Bishop was a charming study as she welcomed her guests.

Mrs. Ernest Greenough was in white messaline, which was also beautifully trimmed in lace, and Miss Amy Jackson looked very handsome indeed in a lovely gown of pink messaline, daintily trimmed in lace.

Mrs. Frances Thomas assisted Mrs. Bishop in receiving her guests. She was a charming study in a French gown in pink and blue tones, the costume completed by a Juliet cap in gold. She wore orchids. Mrs. Bishop having sent orchid favors to those who received with her.

Mrs. Jackson's gown was of gray satin, beautifully trimmed in lace, and Mrs. Leon Maisson, who received with the hostess, wore a gown of black chiffon trimmed in gold. Among the effective costumes of the afternoon were those worn by

Mrs. J. Walter Scott, Mrs. Harris, Mrs. John F. Connors, Mrs. W. A. Schrock, Mrs. Blanche Boardman, Miss Nellie Connors, Mrs. Alexander Marx, Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Edgar Jones, Mrs. M. J. Layman, Mrs. Vernon Wadton, Mrs. Gleason, Mrs. John Francis Smith.

In the evening Mrs. Bishop entertained a company of eighteen at dinner, and later the dinner guests were also entertained by her at Ye Liberty theater.

## MRS. STARR PRESIDES AT ELABORATE LUNCHEON.

Mrs. Walter Starr was the hostess at an elaborate luncheon which she gave at her home on Wednesday in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Stanley Moore. The Stanley Moores are making their home across the bay, and their relatives over here are entertaining for the bride that she may meet the many old-time friends of the family.

Mrs. Starr has a delightful home and she is one of the most attractive of the younger matrons.

About forty friends were invited to the delightful luncheon, which was served at small tables, and after the luncheon there was a most enjoyable afternoon of bridge. Among the many guests invited to the luncheon were:

Mrs. Leon Boqueron, Miss Christie Taft, Mrs. Roland Oliver, Mrs. Hugh Goodfellow, Mrs. George Jensen, Mrs. William Thornton, Mrs. Thomas Knowles, Mrs. White, Mrs. Schilling, Mrs. Wray Hall, Mrs. Rose Kays, Mrs. Paula Clay.

Mrs. Stanley Moore, Miss Madeline Clay, Mrs. A. L. Moore Jr., Miss Mary Cogan, Mrs. John Valentine Jr., Mrs. F. M. Smith, Miss Ethel Moore, Miss Grace Sperry, Miss Margaret Moore, Miss Downey, Mrs. James Kenna, Miss Elsie Emerson, Mrs. Ruth Hall, Mrs. Charles D. Bates, Mrs. Whipple Hall, Miss Jean Clift, Miss Ethel Valentine, Miss Lobse.

## ALEXANDER-DETTRICK WEDDING DATE SET.

It is announced that the wedding of Mr. John Jerome Alexander of Portland and Miss Albertine Detrick is to be an April date, and that the young people will make their future home in Oregon. The bride-elect is the eldest daughter of Edington Detrick Jr. and her aunts are Mrs. George McNear Jr., Mrs. Edward Lacey Brayton and Mrs. A. S. MacDonald. She has two very attractive young cousins, Miss Marian Miller and Miss Ernestine McNear.

The family of the bride-elect is a very prominent one here, and the wedding will be one of the notable social events of the spring.

## MISS MATILDA BROWN IS AGAIN HONORED.

Some of the most important plans for the winter center around the work of the Ladies' Relief Association, of which Miss Matilda Brown has been made president for the seventh time. While the election must mean much in the way of arduous work for Miss Brown, this recent election is a compliment to her and comes in the way of a recognition and true appreciation of all her efforts for the success of the Ladies' Relief Home.

Miss Brown is known as one of the ablest club presidents around the bay—unselfish, with the courage of her convictions and most fair and conservative in dealing with the difficult problems that always arise in the management of any philanthropy.

Miss Brown brings past experience to her present management, and she has many plans for this most deserving of our charities. There ought to be state aid for such an institution as the Ladies' Relief Association, but failing in that we must give it all the aid we can and make it a beautiful, restful home for the dear old ladies there and a sweet, happy one for the little children.

Miss Brown has many plans for the winter and she will have the help in carrying them out of many of our most prominent families.

The officers of the board for the Ladies' Relief for this year are:

President, Miss Matilda Brown; first vice-president, Mrs. D. H. Mathos; second vice-president, Miss

Helen Campbell; treasurer, Miss Anne Miner; secretaries, Mrs. Spencer Browne and Miss Jessie Campbell.

Among those actively interested in the association are:

Mrs. William Henshaw, Mrs. H. S. Kegan, Mrs. Isaac Regna, Mrs. B. F. Weston, Mrs. R. G. Brown, Mrs. Henry Miles-Bull, Mrs. R. A. Wellman, Mrs. Charles Butters, Miss Mona Crella, Mrs. Arthur Breed, Mrs. J. J. Valentine, Miss de Fremery, Mrs. Thomas Phoby, Mrs. Edwin H. Garth, Miss Bakewell, Mrs. Harry East Miller, Mrs. Louise Guirardelli.

The advisory board consists of C. G. Miller, Charles Butters, W. S. Noyes, C. M. MacGregor and Donald Y. Campbell.

## MANY GUESTS AT Y. W. C. A. RECEPTION.

Many prominent people from this side of the bay were guests on Wednesday at the large reception given by the Young Women's Christian Association in honor of Mrs. Phebe A. Hearst. The "at home" was given in the rooms of the association on O'Farrell street, and the decorations were planned with much artistic skill. These were along holiday lines, and the club rooms were most attractive with greens, poinsettias and red shaded candelabra.

Among the prominent guests at the "at home" were:

Mrs. Hearst, Mrs. James Rolph, Mrs. William Crocker, Mrs. Dimond, Mrs. Fred Sanborn, Mrs. Henry Crocker, Mrs. John Merrill, Mrs. Eleanor Martin, Miss Virginia Newhall, Mrs. Dimond, Miss Beaver, Mrs. Penitiss Cobb Hale, Mrs. Carroll Buck, Mrs. Cyrus Walker, Mrs. Robert Oxnard.

Mrs. Hearst has been an ideal friend to the Young Women's Christian Association, and the list of her benefactions is continually growing.

She recently gave \$75,000 to the miners of the Homestake mine in Dakota, the mine in which she is so largely interested, for the erection of a club which is to be similar in its work to that attempted by the Young Men's Christian Association here.

## OAKLAND MATRONS GUESTS ACROSS BAY.

Mrs. Hearst looked specially well at the large reception which Mrs. A. W. Scott Jr. gave in honor of Mrs. Rolph, the latter the wife of the recently elected mayor of San Francisco. Several well-known Oakland matrons were the guests at the reception, and in the receiving party was Mrs. Frank K. Mott.

Mrs. Scott was beautifully gowned in American beauty-satin, made with a tunic which was edged with fringe. The latter trimming also outlined the bodice, which showed besides an elab-

orate arrangement of gold net and lace.

Mrs. Rolph, the guest of honor, wore a superb gown of cream colored velvet, the gown trimmed in lace and the corsage embroidered in gold.

Mrs. Frank Mott wore a gown of rose colored satin, veiled in black lace. Mrs. Mott has extremely good taste in dress, and her gowns are always appropriate and well planned.

The Scott "at home" was most interesting and was one of the leading social events across the bay.

## FINE HOMES ARE PRIDE OF OAKLAND.

Oakland has been named "the city of opportunity," and the phrase might go further and say "the opportunity to develop fine homes." Every one seems to be planning either a new home or radical changes in the old one, for there must be sleeping porches, sun rooms or wide verandas in these days of the fresh air regime. Among the members of the smart set one of the leading themes of conversation is architecture or furniture. It is surprising how very well read the average matron is of styles of architecture or on handsome furniture. Of the latter she will tell you that the French styles are frivolous in effect, and the English styles more practical and cheerful. The quiet little matron has studied all the good points represented in Jacobian and Elizabethan furniture, and she can tell you all the latest developments in hardwood floors, for floors again are representing "periods" in design. Some of the floors in the White House have recently been done over in "Fontainebleau" patterns, the latest in French designs.

If you go to visit a friend she is sure to show you something new in either a new room or new furniture—new to her, but something really old or worth while. The new homes range all the way from Mrs. Frank C. Havens' home of fine East Indian design to the quaintest little bungalow nestling among the hills, but looking out upon the most wonderful view in the world. Mrs. Havens' house has been often described and of course it is the finest example of East Indian architecture in the United States.

One of the most perfect of the new homes is that of the Mark L. Requa, which is splendidly outlined against the deep green eucalyptus forest high up on the hills. It is very like one of the fine Italian homes on



# SOCIETY NEWS of the WEEK



MISS METHA McMAHON, who was the motif for a smart-bridge party on Wednesday. —Vaughan & Fraser Photo.

MISS RUTH SHARON, a talented and popular member of the younger set.—Webster Photo.

the hill slopes of Naples and it is beautifully classical in its great windows, its green blinds, its wide portico, with the classical pillars. Its front facade looks down upon the city and out upon the bay, and the entrance facing the hills is most imposing. The great drawing room is one of the most beautiful rooms in the city, the furnishing representing color tones in old rose, superb rugs adding also to the harmonious color scheme. The great windows, with the specially designed draperies, are very foreign, and the whole house realizes an architectural effect that is restful, harmonious and most charming.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Titus are developing their grounds in a most artistic fashion, and they are beginning to be exceedingly beautiful and picturesque. They have retained the natural beauty of the canyon which passes through the grounds, and one finds most fascinating bridges and pergolas and all the other lovely phases of landscape gardening which make the grounds around a suburban home a joy to look upon.

## ARTISTIC HOMES NEAR COMPLETION.

Two very artistic and beautiful new homes are approaching completion at Piedmont—the fine residences of Mrs. S. T. Alexander and James K. Moffitt.

The Alexander home is large and imposing, and on its commanding site marks a residence of fine proportions. It is quite near "Brown Gables," the home of Mrs. Alexander's son, Wallace Alexander.

James K. Moffitt has built his home across the street from the fine residence built by his mother, Mrs. Moffitt, and early in the spring his home will be ready for occupancy. Mrs. Moffitt (Pauline Fore) is most artistic, and she will have one of the most fascinating homes on the upper Piedmont hills.

The Rosenfelds expect to build there also sometime in the future when they decide to give up hotel life and to establish a permanent home.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McDuffie have plans for an elaborate residence at Claremont. They have traveled extensively and have brought home many ideas from the old world to beautify a home in the new one.

One of the most beautiful interiors is that found in the home of Mrs. William G. Henshaw. There is a "sun room" which is delightful and which commands a most superb view, and as Mrs. Henshaw is very partial to French designs she has a

most artistic drawing room, showing superb Louis Seize furniture.

The brick homes in our city follow extremely good architectural lines, and among the most artistic are the homes of the Bradens, the Oscar Longs and the Charles E. Parcells.

Mrs. Edward Lacey Brayton's home is a good example of Spanish style, and the patio, surrounded with rooms on which are historic parapets, is most artistic. Some new homes have distinguishing features, as, for instance, the Chinese hall in the William White home and in the Maxwell home.

Mrs. Elsey and her daughter, Mrs. Charlotte Heatley, have plans drawn for a beautiful new home to be built in the Crocker Highlands district, and work on the new structure is to begin immediately.

## FOLLOW ENGLISH IN NAMING RESIDENCES.

Many of the new homes are to be named as is the English fashion, and a very pretty custom it is. It makes the home much more distinctive and brings a sense of permanence, and no matter how small the home may be, it can still bear its own picturesque name.

Among the names that one hears most often nowadays are:

"Hacienda del Pozo de Verona," "Highlands," "Rosacrest," "Arbor Villa," "Grasmere," "The Orchards," "Benvenue," "Manana," "Thorkill," "Malahui," "Brown Gables," "Alta Vista," "Koa Hall," "Lakeside," "The Lilacs," "The Pines," "Roselawn," "Glorietta," "Casa Rosa," "Wildwood."

Beautiful Spanish names are to be had for the asking, and they are especially appropriate in this land which owes so deep a debt of gratitude to the early Spanish influence.

## CANCEL THEIR SOCIAL DATES.

From New York comes the news that Mrs. Hermann Oelrichs and Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt Jr. have cancelled their social engagements "owing to the passing of a relative in California."

Their relative was their uncle, the late Thomas Rooney, who was the father of Mrs. Louis Titus and the Misses Edna and Theresa Rooney. He was the brother of the late Mrs. Theresa Fair, for whom Mrs. Oelrichs (Tessie Fair) was named, and Theresa Rooney was named for her also. The girls of the Fair and Rooney families are cousins, and they are all well read, though the Rooney girls have been more studious and

have had the advantages of a college education.

Mrs. Titus has traveled a great deal, having spent many months in Europe with Mrs. Veronica Baird, who is very cultured. Mrs. Titus is also a clever writer and she has a most interesting personality.

She bids fair to develop a home worth while on this side of the bay. She does not care specially for society, but she is brilliant enough to establish a home that may have social prestige and may be a literary center as well.

## MAX TAFT WELL ON ROAD TO RECOVERY.

One is very glad to hear that Max Taft, after a most serious illness, is well on the road to recovery.

He went to the Sierras for the holidays and took a severe cold there which deepened into pneumonia of a very serious nature. The Max Tafts spent the summer at Lake Tahoe and they were so enthusiastic over life in the Sierras that Max Taft built a home there not far from Tahoe Tavern. He was so enthusiastic about it that he tried to go on with the construction even in the heart of winter. All the many friends of the Tafts are rejoiced to hear that after so severe an illness he is now out of danger.

## MISS PEARL CAWSTON TO BE HOSTESS.

Miss Pearl Cawston is to be one of the dinner hostesses of the future, entertaining at her home on Vernon Heights before the next Friday night dance. Miss Cawston is the bright young daughter of Mrs. Tyler Henshaw, and she is already very popular with many friends here.

## TO ENTERTAIN GUESTS AT THE FAIRMONT.

Many Oakland people are included in the invitations sent out by Mrs. George Fish for a large bridge afternoon which she will give on the afternoon of Thursday, January 25. Mrs. Fish is planning to entertain her guests at the Fairmont.

## EXCHANGE DIRECTORS ESTABLISH PRECEDENT.

The board of directors of the Woman's Exchange has established a precedent that many organizations might well follow in developing cordial good fellowship between the board and the employees. One member of the board tells the story as follows:

"I know you will be interested to hear of the New Year's social the board of directors gave the employees at the Woman's Exchange. It was a

new departure, the first time we have ever done anything of the kind, and we thought if it proved a success we might be able to repeat it next year.

We are so fortunate in having employees who work interestedly and helpfully that we felt as if we would like to show them our appreciation by giving them an evening of pleasure in the rooms they help to make attractive to others. If happy faces were any indication of success, then we may think our New Year's social was very successful, for every face fairly beamed and the directors were as happy as the employees. Each employee had been asked to invite a friend, the rooms were attractive with holiday garlands of evergreen and red berries, and as everyone entered into the spirit of the evening, happiness, kindness, good comradeship and cheer pervaded the place.

Each one did his or her part toward adding to the pleasure of others. There was an interesting program. The luncheon having been cleared off all tables, then dancing was enjoyed after the program, while those who preferred could play cards, checkers or any game they wished at the tables provided for the purpose in the private tea room, where later a delicious supper was served and the evening ended with a "Happy New Year to all."

Among those who planned the delightful reunion were:

Mrs. Lillian Brown, Mrs. A. Eastland, Mrs. C. W. Randall, Mrs. J. Francis Smith, Mrs. Henry Burns, Mrs. W. W. Standford, Mrs. E. S. Baxter, Mrs. J. P. Neville, Mrs. E. C. Morrison, Mrs. George F. Morrow, Mrs. W. L. Oliver, Mrs. Thomas Capwell, Mrs. G. Vandepoort, Mrs. Frank L. Adams, Mrs. T. B. Coghill, Mrs. C. E. Snook, Mrs. W. O. Badgley, Mrs. Antonette Wilk, Mrs. C. W. Ames, Jr., Mrs. E. M. Gibson.

## MRS. THOMAS COGHILL BIDS HER FRIENDS.

Mrs. Thomas B. Coghill is to be a hostess of next week, and she will give a luncheon to a number of friends in the artistic and delightful tea room of the Woman's Exchange. It has been specially planned for entertainment, and makes an ideal environment for luncheon, an afternoon tea or a card party.

## PICTURES IN THE MEDDLER.

Mrs. John P. Littlefield, who is in tonight's Meddler, is at present visiting at the home of her mother in Piedmont. As Miss Bertha Eudey she was a local belle. Since her marriage her home has been in Washington, D. C.

Miss Ruth Sharon is one of the most interesting and talented girls of the younger set. She is very musical, and the beautiful home of the

Sharons is the scene of many delightful musicales.

Miss Metha McMahon is a bay city belle, who with Miss Marie Louise Tyson was made the honored guest at a smart bridge party on Wednesday, when Miss Laura and Miss Mildred Baldwin were hostesses.

Mrs. Kirby Crittenden has been much entertained in this city and in San Francisco, where she has many friends. She is considered an extremely attractive and talented young matron.

## GOODALLS ENTERTAIN AT CARDS THURSDAY.

Captain and Mrs. Minor Goodall

entertained at cards on Thursday evening at their home on Lake street. They made their guest of honor Mrs. Tyler Henshaw, one of the brides of the season, who has been extensively entertained in the past weeks. Bridge with tables of auction were the games of the evening, and the guest list was made up of intimate friends of the Goodalls and Tyler Henshaws.

**BALL IS USUAL BRILLIANT AFFAIR.**  
The Bachelors' and Benedicks' ball took place last night at the Fairmont, and was the usual brilliant affair that all the Greenway dances usually are. It was preceded by many dinners at the Fairmont, the largest of which was given by Mr. and Mrs. Talbot Walker, who entertained eighty guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Syrius Farnham entertained in honor of Miss Elsie Clifford, and Mr. and Mrs. Philip Bowles gave a dinner for Miss Amy Bowles.

Among the well-known young people at the dance were:

Miss Harriet Stone, Miss Marie Louise Tyson, Miss Elsie Clifford, Miss Amy Bowles, Miss Ernestine McNear, Will Hush, Miss Marie Louise Tyson, Miss Elsie Clifford, Miss Amy Bowles, Miss Ernestine McNear, Will Hush.

## THE MEDDLER.

**S**AN FRANCISCO society folk, including numerous guests from this side of the bay, attended the ball of the Bachelors and Benedicks' Subscription Club at the Fairmont last night. It was a brilliant function and was preceded by numerous dinners, elaborately appointed.

Magnificent gowns and jewels were displayed. Among the girls who have taken a prominent part in social affairs of Oakland, and who were notable at last night's ball were:

Miss Harriet Stone, who wore a pink satin gown elaborated with fringe trimming. Miss Amy Bowles wore a Kitty Gordon green satin with the bodice of crystal beads laid on in rows and outlined in fringe. Miss Ernestine McNear was gowned in deep blue chamoisee trimmed in lace.

Miss Marion Stone was gowned in white. Mrs. Robert Hayes Smith wore apricot trimmed in chinchilla and iridescent crystals.

Miss Anna Peters looked very lovely in white satin.

Miss Marie Louise Tyson of Alameda was a dinner hostess in Laurel Court. Her guests included Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wolfe, Miss Edith Rucker, Florence Braverman, Madeline Clay, Metha McMahon, Mildred Baldwin, Lurline Matson and Messrs. George and William Leib, William Cavaller, Warren Harrold, Joseph King, Percy King, Allan Coogan and Robert Van Sant.

The guests at Miss Anna Peters' dinner were Miss Esther Denny, Miss Harriet Stone, Miss Marion Stone, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hayes Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. George de la Tour, Miss Jennie Blair, Miss Marrienne Mathieu, Miss Helen Leavitt, Miss Ella Sonntag, Miss Helen Nichol, Miss Gladys Wilson, Miss Amy Bowles, Charles Chapman, Charles de Young, George Bowles, Major C. Gilmore, U. S. A., Edward M. Greenway, Lieutenant Ray Lee, Melville Bowman, Frank de Lisle, Frank Langstroth, Cordova de Garnamdia and Maurice Sullivan.

Among the socially prominent folk of San Francisco who entertained at beautifully appointed dinners were Mr. and Mrs. Talbot Walker, who were hosts in the new American Beauty salon of the Palace. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Welch Jr. were dinner hosts at the Fairmont at one of the most originally planned affairs ever given there. It was an "Animal Din-

ner" and represented a party of birds, beasts, butterflies and fishes, each in its proper environment, making a whimsical and charming conceit.

In the center of the table was a miniature giraffe under a palm tree, and on each side was a small pond; in one, live ducks and in the other gold fish.

The table represented a jungle scene with little lakes, streams, oases, mountains and hills. On the slopes of the latter grazed flocks of sheep tended by shepherds, while zebras grazed on the mountains and monkeys were curled in the tree-tops.

In a corner was depicted a South African farm with a pond where fluffy ducklings swam, and near by were chickens pens with their inmates.

The tented village of Bedoulins was shown, each tent lighted with a brilliant campfire. Many of the birds and animals were alive while others were of the museum variety.

The whole effect surpassed anything seen in years, for originality and unique and delightful effect and the affair is one of the principal topics of conversation today.

## LUNCHEON AT COUNTRY CLUB.

The Claremont Country Club was the scene of an attractive luncheon yesterday, followed by a session at the card tables at which Mrs. John Wallace was hostess. The latter frequently entertains and her affairs are always delightfully appointed.

**WEDDED TODAY.**  
Henry C. Van Dyke, formerly of this city, and Miss Katherine Moulton, a society belle of Minneapolis, will be married today in Santa Barbara.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Moulton, the former being a retired capitalist. Van Dyke is the son of the late Judge Van Dyke and Mrs. Van Dyke, old residents of East Oakland. The family moved to Los Angeles several years ago. They have many friends and relatives in this city and about the bay who are interested in today's event.

## LUNCHEON YESTERDAY.

Miss Margaret Moore was hostess at a luncheon at the Palace yesterday in honor of Miss Isabel McLoughlin, who has recently returned from England to spend the winter here. Among her guests were Miss Harriet Stone, Miss Marion Stone, Miss Ruth Slack, Miss Edith Slack, Miss Lurline Matson, Miss Kate Peterson, Miss Madeline Clay, Miss

Emily Johnson, Miss Gretton and Mrs. Stanley Moore.

**DANCE TONIGHT.**  
The Informal Dancing Club, an organization of the younger girls not yet formally presented, and high school boys, will meet this evening in the Town and Gown clubhouse, Berkeley. Some of the patronesses will entertain at dinner preceding the dance, among whom will be Mrs. Frank J. Woodward, who has asked a number of Miss Dorothy Woodward's friends to be her guests. The patronesses of the club include Mrs. Frank J. Woodward, Mrs. Henry Martinez, Miss Whitney Palache, Mrs. Benjamin Bangs, Mrs. Andrew Davis, Mrs. B. F. Brooks, Mrs. Walter Parker Treat, Mrs. Frederick Pearson Tuttle and Mrs. Mansfield Lovell.

**DEPART FOR VANCOUVER.**  
Captain George Gray and his bride left yesterday for Vancouver, B. C., where they are to make their home. Mrs. Gray was Miss Ida Curry until her marriage this week at the home of her parents in Newark. The ceremony was performed by the bride's father, Rev. James Curry, pastor of the Newark Presbyterian church, and only the relatives and nearest friends were present.

**TO GIVE LARGE DANCE.**  
A new club has been formed in Alameda called the "High School Mothers' Club." They plan to give a large and elaborate dance on the 18th of February. As patronesses are some of the most prominent matrons of the Enchanted City include Mrs. Frank Oles, Mrs. H. Krusi, Mrs. George Mastick, Mrs. Tibbits, Mrs. Louis R. Weisman, Mrs. H. Schoultzen, Mrs. J. Everts, Mrs. St. Surs, Mrs. S. Porter, Mrs. McChesney, Mrs. Sherman McDowell, Mrs. M. McDerm, Mrs. Steady, Mrs. F. W. Zoggy, Mrs. C. Wood, Mrs. George Furbush and Mrs. George Evans.

**W. C. T. U. FORMS LOCAL BRANCH AT BERKELEY.**  
BERKELEY, Jan. 20.—A local college branch of the National W. C. T. U. was organized at Stiles Hall following a reception to Mrs. Beffie Scovell, college secretary of the national organization. Mrs. Scovell addressed a large audience on the temperance question, after which Ira Thomas was elected temporary president and David M. Durst was elected temporary secretary. Permanent organization will be effected one week from next Tuesday.



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## WOMEN IN THE NEWS

### 'I DO NOT!' SAYS BRIDE; WEDDING IS HALTED

Centralia Romance Shattered at Altar by Ruse of Mother.

CENTRALIA, Wash., Jan. 20.—"Do you take this man to be your lawfully wedded husband?" "I do NOT." This unexpected answer brought a sudden ending to the wedding ceremony which was almost performed for Charles E. Cowell and Miss Erickson, a young couple of Tono, by Rev. Robert Reid of Centralia. The couple had made preparations for a hasty marriage, the bride's mother being opposed to the union, and the wedding guests were assembled on a hill back of Tono. A carriage was in readiness to convey the newly-weds to this city, where they were to take the train for Puget Sound.

The mother, learning that she had been outwitted, pretended to take poison. News of her mother's attempted suicide was conveyed to the bride, who called the wedding off just as the pronouncement of "man and wife" was on the lips of Rev. Mr. Reid.

#### Extra Rate

LIVERMORE, Jan. 20.—George S. Fitzgerald, veteran justice of the peace here, has been reading of justices who say they will marry leap year couples free, and he says:

"Marry these leap year couples free! Not on your life. I'll charge them double price. Any girl that can't get a fellow who cares enough for her to carry her away can't get married free by me. Why, girl who has the nerve to propose is surely capable of knowing the size of her husband's pocketbook and then a wife is worth something anyway."

Fitzgerald was formerly a constable of this township. He was a close personal friend of the late Harry N. Morse and hunted Mexican bandits with Morse in the early days.

#### Wearies of Alimony

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Dr. James T. Fisher, a wealthy physician of Los Angeles, asked Supreme Court Justice Coahan yesterday to relieve him of an order to pay \$50 a month alimony to May Fisher, who divorced him in 1908. Mrs. Fisher has since become the wife of Roland Hinton Perry, the sculptor, and Dr. Fisher has married again also.

Opposing the motion, Mrs. Perry said that in thirteen years Fisher had paid only \$1360 alimony and that he now owes her \$3000. Mrs. Perry said that her present husband has no income but his earnings as a sculptor, and his reputation was irreparably injured in 1908 when he was sent to the Ludlow street jail for failing to pay alimony to his first wife.

The court decided that Fisher will have to pay up to his overdue alimony before he can have the order annulled.

#### Stays in Family

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 20.—Finding her fiancé dead when she moved here last week to wed, Fedalina Morelli, just from Italy, has married his brother. Several years ago John Brocchini came from Italy, worked, saved money and became a prosperous gardener on the road out of Sacramento. A few weeks ago he sent money for Fedalina Morelli, his bride, to come from Italy and join him in a home he had prepared here. She arrived last week, but John had died a few days before her arrival. His brother, Salvatore Brocchini, was at the depot to break the news to her. Within a few days the girl's future was arranged by a proposal of marriage from Salvatore, and her acceptance.

#### Seeks Revenge

STOCKTON, Jan. 20.—Mrs. William E. Newman, whose husband, W. H. Newman, was murdered at his cafe last Monday morning by a masked highwayman, has offered a reward of \$1000 for the arrest of the assassin. She has been in the event that two men were implicated in the robbery, the sum of \$500 for each.

Newman, known among his friends as "Diamond Bill," because of the large gems he wore, was shot down just as he was closing up his place for the night. The murder occurred within half a block of the city hall, where the police have been looking for the man for some time. The police have no theory as to the identity of the robbers.

#### Copyrights Her

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Society woke up to the fact yesterday that the \$5,000,000 present to his bride was not the only innovation that Edward G. Lodi, came to the attention of his wedding. The Philadelphia banker and partner of J. Pierpont Morgan originated a brand-new feature in society wedding. He had the photographs of his bride that were sent to the newspapers. The intent of this copyright was to prevent the promiscuous publication of his bride's features.

#### Wants Damages

STOCKTON, Jan. 20.—Charging that her husband, William E. Dale, came to his death as the result of his employer's negligence, Mrs. Margaret Dale of Lodi yesterday filed a suit against the Lodi Sanitary Steam Laundry. She asks for damages to the amount of \$35,000, and is represented by Attorney Francis M. Colvin of San Francisco.

The complaint is set forth that William Dale was employed by the company as an engineer, and that while discharging his duties as such he came to his death on December 21, 1911. He was caught in a pulley and horribly mangled. It is alleged that the company failed to take ordinary precautions against accidents.

#### Violinist Feted

STOCKTON, Jan. 20.—Miss Blanche Morrill, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Morrill of this city, came to the near future for the Eastern coast, where she will pursue musical studies at the Boston Conservatory of Music. She will complete her education in Europe.

Miss Morrill is one of the most talented young violinists in this city, and her excellent playing has attracted a favorable attention in San Francisco, where she studied for several years. She expects for the next several years to devote her entire time to the violin. Already she has been the pupil of several noted masters. When quite young she displayed an inveterate love for music and appeared in public concert before she was 16 years of age.

As an evidence of the esteem in which she is held here, a reception has just been given here by local admirers. A large number of guests were present, among whom were the best-known musicians of the country.

## PARTRIDGE CHAPTER, O. E. S., INSTITUTED WITH CEREMONY

Officers of Mary E. Partridge Chapter, O. E. S.: MRS. MARY E. PARTRIDGE, its founder, top, and MRS. ANNA F. CARL, worthy matron.



## GRAND OFFICERS PRESENT IN BODY

Thirty Charter Members On the Roster of New Masonic Auxiliary.

Several hundred members of the Masonic fraternity witnessed the formal institution of the Mary E. Partridge Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, last evening in Golden Gate Hall, Fifty-eighth street and San Pablo avenue. The auditorium was decorated in garlands of green, which made an attractive setting for the elaborate gowns. It was one of the most brilliant affairs of the new year.

Thirty charter members constitute the roster of the chapter, which bears the name of one of the most worthy grand matrons of the general grand chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star of the United States, Mrs. Mary E. Partridge, of this city. She presented the gavel to the first worthy matron of the chapter, Mrs. Annie Florence Carl.

The grand officers of the state of California, who installed the officers, were: Worthy grand patron, John L. McNab; worthy grand matron, Addie Lee Sleeper; grand associate patron, Dr. George G. Vanderlip; grand associate matron, Ada Marsh Dalton, grand secretary, Kate J. Willis, grand treasurer, Lillian E. Hammar; grand chaplain, Mary E. Partridge; grand conductress, Emily Ferguson; grand associate conductress, Lulu E. Adams; grand marshal, May F. Carter; grand Adah, Albertine Hirschfeld; grand Ruth, Laura B. Grover; grand Esther, Maude B. Cooke; grand Martha, Tryphannia B. Jones; grand Elecia, Effie May Easton; grand warder, Emma Blanchard; grand organist, Nellie Darling; grand sentinel, George L. Darling.

The officers who will manage the affairs of the "baby" chapter were seated as follows: Worthy matron, Anna Florence Carl; worthy patron, Leroy W. Potter; associate matron, Ruby Alexander; secretary, Margaret Steell Hambleton; treasurer, Mary Emma Hedemark; conductress, Irene Madeline Bigley; associate conductress, Amanda Lee Potter; Adah, Maude Bernice Robertson; Ruth, Julia Marion Jones; Esther, Mabel Rebecca Smith; Martha, Mattie Mae Martin.

## OAKLAND'S BOYS AND GIRLS

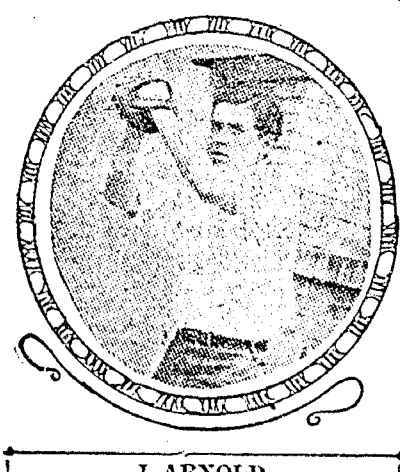
### WILD FLOWERS OF STATE, SUBJECT OF TALK

Forty children of the seventh grade of the Melrose school visited the Oakland public museum Thursday afternoon, when Mrs. De Veer, assistant curator, delivered the first address of the new year on "California Wild Flowers." Next Wednesday afternoon the pupils of one of the classes of the Piedmont school will learn about "Birds," which will be the subject of the second talk.

Last year the Board of Education permitted the youngsters to attend the museum for the purpose of arousing interest in American history and ethnology. The students displayed appreciation of the specimens exhibited and they welcomed the opportunity to learn about the origin of things.

To satisfy the desire of the boys and girls, arrangements were made between the Board of Education and the curator of the museum for a course of instructive lectures, which would give a comprehensive idea of the exhibits in the children's department of the museum. During the last half of 1911 the addresses were given by Mrs. De Veer, who will continue them this year.

### LINCOLN PUPILS SEEKING GAMES



Many fast games will be played by the basketball and baseball teams of the Lincoln school this season. The boys are preparing to accept challenges from rival schools of this city prior to the close of the present term. Last year the "all star" basketball team had a brilliant season and the boys say that the standard of the school in athletics will not be lowered.

The basketball players who will compete for honors during 1912 are: Leon Woolley, Dudley Pisanu, Walter Henderson, Walton Jardin, Clyde Lawrence and J. Arnold.

## WIFE WILL PUT ON HER OWN CLOTHES

New Fad That Will Be Welcomed by Exasperated Husbands.

PORTLAND, Jan. 20.—"Dressing made easy" is the newest motto of the ready-to-wear shops, and the very newest and most enticing idea produced is the new tie-on blouse, which is being shown now in Portland. Can you imagine anything more alluring to the persecuted buttoner-of-the-waist—fastened-in-the-back husband than the announcement that at last a garment has been invented that has no hooks, no eyes, no buttons, no button-holes, no pins, and is neither a sweater nor a Japanese kimono?

The new waist is so simple that one wonders why it has not been put on the market before. It is made after the prevailing kimono pattern, with blouse and sleeve in one, but the front of the blouse instead of fitting into the belt, ends in long surplice ends which are crossed over the bust and drawn sashwise about the waist, ending in either a bow at the back or a fetching knot at the front side. It is a perfect bonanza for travelers, and if adopted would do away with a lot of the—shall we call it—"altercation?"—at the dressing room end of the sleeper.

The waists come "ready-made" in all fabrics, washable and in silk, satins and laces, and are worn prettily over the little ready-to-wear lace slips, which provide undersleeves and chemisette for those to whom the Dpht neck and short sleeves do not appeal in mid-winter. The tie-ons go even further and are reversible. They are the finest waists imaginable for the breakfast table, for they are as easily donned as a breakfast jacket and are far more dressy in appearance.

A near relative to the new tie-on waist is the "two-in-one" house dress, which is a kimono in its first stage, hanging in soft full lines, and then by a simple arrangement at the waist-line in the back it evolves into a trim close-fitting house dress—a boon to the woman who has to economize on her wardrobe.

## VIOLET BUEHLER HAS RETURNED TO CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—Violet Buehler, the girl who disappeared from her home here November 28 and was recently found working as a servant in New York, arrived in Chicago in company with Detective Norton and her foster-mother, Mrs. Herman Buehler. The girl was taken to the police station for interrogation.

## PERSONAL MENTION

J. SILVA has been in Reno for a few days this week on business.

MRS. J. G. NISBET is visiting relatives in Orrville.

REV. A. W. RIDER will conduct the services at the Baptist church, when he is the guest of Rev. Holman B. Turner in San Luis Obispo on Sunday.

GEORGE I. CODDING was among the recent arrivals in Sacramento during the week.

WILLIAM FRY and family have just returned from spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Sparks of Santa Clara.

MISS AGNES DU BOIS was among the guests at an evening entertainment given by Miss Faye Sovell in Sacramento recently.

H. B. BRIGHAM has bought 40 acres of land near Oroqui and will plant it to oranges, a Fresno nursery company having contracted to do the work.

MISS WINIFRED KELLY has returned home from her visit with Mrs. F. von Zuchman in Yreka, where she spent some time after the New Year.

A. A. RIESER was in Sacramento Tuesday on business.

MRS. MUNSON DUPREY has been the guest of the past week of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Swisher, who are residents of Healdsburg.

BUFFS SMITH, who formerly resided in Stockton, has been visiting with friends and relatives for a few days in that city.

MR. AND MRS. ROBERT WALKER and two grandchildren, William and Roberta Oliver, have returned to their home in Grass Valley, after spending some time in this city.

MR. AND MRS. ROBERT SINGLAIR, who have been spending their honeymoon with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oliver, have returned home.

MISS TENNENT was among the Pacific Grove arrivals during the week.

HENRY LOESER spent Tuesday in Cordelia, where he went on business.

R. T. SINGLAIR and wife visited Sacramento during the week.

L. C. GERVES was among the arrivals to register at the state capital a few days ago.

## Human Kindness

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By LILLIAN RUSSELL



It is observed that many of the girls behind the counter are much neater than some of their customers. Of course, one must remember that the business girl is on view, so to speak, all day long, while the shopper may have on a soiled shirtwaist under her seal skin coat and no one is the wiser but herself. I made it my pleasant business to go through a department store just a few hours and observe the conduct of customers and clerks under the trying circumstances of holiday shopping. I must give the tribute to the clerks. I rarely heard a girl speak rudely. In fact, they seemed to try to help their customers in their selections, in spite of the uncertainty of the customers as to what they wanted. I heard one well-dressed woman say to a pretty girl: "You are too much 'dolled up' to know anything."

Quite the contrary, this girl was unconsciously pretty and doing her best to help the woman. I asked the girl if she heard many remarks of that kind. She replied that it was a rare thing to have any one speak to her like that. She also said that pretty women never seemed to dislike her. This should be a double lesson. I would not tell girls to try to look one bit less pretty. But I would advise them to save their ribbons and ornaments for their private use and let cleanliness and neatness be their chief attraction.

To the shoppers I would say they should not forget that all women are their sisters and that human nature is universal. Today they may be the buyers and tomorrow they may be the sellers. The woman who expects to get just what she wants without giving out any encouragement or sympathy may find herself left without even one kindly thought directed toward her. Her face will take on a hard look that will repel every one. It's give and take in this world. Remember, human kindness is the salt of the earth, so season your thoughts freely.

*Lillian Russell*



LILLIAN RUSSELL

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part of one's health and beauty. Massage with warm cocoa butter is also good. If you will send me a self-addressed, stamped envelope I shall gladly send you the formula for bleach for the neck and arms and also formula for developing the bust.

MRS. E. J. M.—It is not difficult to develop the bust, but it takes time. Do not expect results in a week. When developing the bust it must also be accompanied by a dietary for gaining flesh. Exercise is also good. Double the fists as tightly as you can, bringing them together in front with the arms raised so as to be horizontal. While keeping your arms on a level with your shoulders slowly separate your fists as widely as possible. Deep breathing will also help to enlarge your bust. If you will send me a self-addressed, stamped envelope I shall send you necessary formula.

ERNEST—If you will send me a self-addressed stamped envelope I shall gladly send you a formula for a shampoo which is excellent for an oily scalp.

## COURT TO DUB HER NICOTINE OR BOUNTIFUL

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Whether Mrs. Marie Estella Markham, a soloist of Nashville, Tenn., is Lady Nicotine or Lady Bountiful, was put up to the Supreme Court yesterday to decide, when William F. Mathews, a wealthy tobaccoist, in reply to Mrs. Markham's suit to recover \$1520 on an alleged loan from him, alleged that the Southern songstress owes him \$184 on a cigarette bill. Mathews denies obtaining the money. In his counter claim he says Mrs. Markham purchased the cigarettes between November 9, 1910, and August 24, 1911, making it seem that twenty-seven cigarettes a day were consumed.

MAYOR ASKED TO MARRY. ASPEN, Colo., Jan. 20.—"Hello! Is this the mayor? Well, I want to marry you. Will you accept?" Fifteen times since the beginning of the year Charles Wagner, bachelor mayor, has received this telephone message, though he refuses to state what his answers have been. He is delighted with being proposed to so many times and says that he will buy each girl a new silk gown.

TENOR DIES IN VIENNA. VIENNA, January 20.—Herman Winkelmann, the operatic tenor, died yesterday. He was born in 1845 at Brunswick and created Parsifal at Bayreuth in 1880.

DIES IN WANT. MANHATTAN, Nev., Jan. 20.—Munger R. Park, said to have been at one time a prominent musician of Boston, died here yesterday. He was a great-nephew of Mungo Park, the noted Scotch explorer. Although once wealthy he died in want.

## BERKELEY WOMAN TO SPEAK IN SAN RAFAEL

SAN RAFAEL, Jan. 20.—The members of the San Rafael Equal Suffrage League have decided to disband, forming a new organization, which shall be a chapter of the California State Civic League. This will be accomplished at a meeting to be held in the city hall assembly room on Wednesday afternoon, January 24. A number of prominent suffrage speakers have been engaged to make addresses at the meeting, including Mrs. J. B. Hume of Berkeley and Miss Helen Todd, formerly of Chicago, but now of San Francisco.

WILL MARRY IN SOUTH. LOS ANGELES, Jan. 20.—A marriage license was issued here yesterday to Almon B. Ross of San Francisco and Nora Dickinson of Los Angeles.

## WOMEN'S WORLD

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## DYNAMITE FOUND; SIX STRIKERS ARE ARRESTED

### EXPLOSIVE IS LOCATED IN HOUSE

Caps, Fuse and Wire Discovered With Powder Hidden Away in Closet.

Four Additional Companies of Militia Called Out for Guard Duty.

LAWRENCE, Mass., Jan. 20.—The first arrests growing out of the investigation of possible use of dynamite in connection with the textile strike in this city was made today when six strikers and a negro were taken into custody in a house where several sticks of dynamite, caps and fuse and wire were found.

Those under arrest are Sarris Marad, a tailor, in whose room the dynamite was found; Joseph Assa, a strike leader; Trinidad Boston, colored; David Roshed, David Bisbara of Fishkill, N. Y.; Miss Zelka Rashell and Miss Mary Swisy.

The authorities learned that dynamite had been brought into the city last night from Pennsylvania and search today located it in a closet in Marad's house.

The appeal by William H. Wood, president of the American Wool Co., the principal corporation affected by the mill operatives' strike in this city, to the striking employees to return to work, promising when conditions warranted he would recommend an increase in wages, was the principal subject of discussion among the strikers today. There were no indications that the appeal would have any effect.

Orders became effective today for the additional patrol of four companies of the state militia. Picket duty was carried on in a peaceful manner and no trouble was reported.

### Nine-Year-Old Heir To Fortune Guarded

\$40,000,000 Bateman Leeds Living in Solitary State With Seventeen Servants.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Nine-year-old Bateman Leeds, son of the late "Tin Plate King" William B. Leeds, is living in solitary state here on his mother's estate with a governess, housekeeper and fifteen servants to meet his slightest wish. It was thought that the boy, who is heir to \$40,000,000, was traveling with his mother in Europe.

Each day the boy is driven to a private school near here and then driven home again, after which he drives out behind a team of fast bays with a coachman and footman. Under his mother's orders, the boy, wherever he goes, is kept under the strictest surveillance and he is never permitted to leave the carriage.

Mrs. Leeds keeps in touch with the boy almost daily through cable messages and is kept posted as to his physical condition and progress in school.

### Dr. Asa Clark Dies After Active Career

Former Head of Stockton State Hospital Succumbs to a Long Illness.

STOCKTON, Jan. 20.—Dr. Asa Clark, former superintendent of the Stockton state hospital and a pioneer resident of this county, died at an early hour this morning after a long illness.

Dr. Clark was born in New York in 1824, received his medical education in Chicago and came to this state in 1849, locating at Placerville. In 1861 he was appointed assistant physician at the state hospital and in 1892 was made superintendent. In 1896 he resigned and was succeeded by his son, Dr. Fred P. Clark.

### WILSON'S NAME PLACED ON NEBRASKA BALLOT

GRAND RAPIDS, Jan. 20.—Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey addressed a mass meeting of war veterans at the soldiers' home here today. His talk was along the lines of his speeches here last night and at Detroit.

Governor Wilson maintained his attitude of absolute refusal to discuss the utterances of Henry Wilson on his candidacy for the presidency.

### Livermore Merchants Praise Tribune Annual

Whereas, THE OAKLAND TRIBUNE, in its Annual edition, issued on Wednesday, January 17, devoted special attention to the Livermore valley and its industries and products; and

Whereas, The value of such advertising of this section is appreciated by the Merchants' Association of Livermore and the citizens thereof; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Merchants' Association of Livermore expresses its thanks to THE OAKLAND TRIBUNE for the space devoted to the Livermore valley and the careful and accurate description of the products and industries of this section and for the excellent photographs used.

Adopted by the Merchants' Association of Livermore at a meeting held January 18, 1912.

J. O. MCKOWN, President.  
ERNEST W. D'OMBRAIN, Secretary.

### TWO GIRLS ANNOUNCE BETROTHALS MISS COPE AND MISS ORR ARE ENGAGED

MISS GEORGIE COPE, a local society girl, who has made known her engagement to Bernard Ryan of Toronto.—Hartsok Photo.



### Double Announcement Is Made at Luncheon Given Today

The engagements of two well known Oakland society girls have been announced. They are those of Miss Georgie Cope, the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Cope, who has announced her betrothal to Bernard Ryan of Toronto, Canada, and Miss Irene Orr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin M. Orr. Miss Orr's fiancé is Byron Paul, one of the best known young society men of Alameda and this city. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Paul of the Encinal City.

PROMINENT SOCIALLY.  
Miss Cope has a host of friends here and is prominent in musical circles as well as in local society. Her family being a representative one of this city. She has a very fine contralto voice and has traveled widely. She and her sister, Miss Vera Cope, have given some notable entertainments at the hospitable family home here. The news of the engagement will be of wide interest.

Ryan will arrive from Canada about the first week in February, and the wedding is planned for the latter part of the same month, the exact date not being settled as yet.

Miss Orr, whose father is president of the Oakland Board of Education, is a popular member of the Saturday Night Club and a number of other social organizations. She attended the Oakland schools and finished her studies at a fashionable school in Santa Barbara. Young Paul is a Stanford man and member of the Kappa Alpha fraternity. He is also a graduate of the Alameda High school and is now assistant secretary of the playground department of Oakland.

TOLD AT LUNCHEON.  
At this afternoon's luncheon and card party given at the Orr home at 570 Thirty-second street, the interesting betrothal news was made known to the score of guests present by means of dainty cards bearing the names of the engaged couples. The secret was disclosed at the beginning of the luncheon, when the guests assembled at table. The decorations were a center piece of violets from which streamers extended to each place, where small bouquets of the same flower concealed the cards.

Both Miss Orr and Miss Cope will be much entertained during the coming weeks.

### TAFT "CUTS" CHAPEL TO GO TO FIRE

Famous Old Dormitory at Yale Threatened With Destruction.

Dr. Hadley Prays While President Joins Student Throng at Burning Building.

NEW HAVEN, Jan. 20.—President Taft "cut" chapel at Yale this morning to go to a fire. That fire was in Old South Middle Hall, on the college campus, and did little damage.

The President rose early and dressed and left his hotel to go to college chapel, only a block away. He was passing by Phelps gateway, which is half way along College street to Battle chapel when he saw the heavy smoke beating down into the college campus.

With all the ardor of his college days, the President joined the rush of undergraduates who were streaming pell mell toward the burning dormitory. He mingled with the crowd of students standing in a back row and for 20 minutes watched the firemen at work until he saw the red helmets of the firefighters poking out of the upper windows. He then walked to chapel, arriving there as President Hadley had concluded his prayer.

Old South Middle is the connecting link between the old college and the present one. Within its walls Nathan Hale of Revolutionary fame lived. The original structure was put up in 1850. In this building lived Noah Webster and later John C. Calhoun.

A few years ago as a means of preservation the building was reconstructed as far as possible and fire proofed to a considerable degree.

GLASS CASE CONTINUED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—The cases against Louis Glass, vice-president of the Pacific Telephone Company, were continued in Judge Lawlor's court today until February 17.

### ARMOUR MAN CALLED TO STAND

Office Manager Testifies as to Business Methods Used by Firm.

Government Contends Allowances Were Below Actual Market Value.

CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—When the packers' trial was resumed today Edward McAdam, office manager for Armour & Co. at South Omaha, continued his testimony regarding the business methods used at that plant.

Assistant District Attorney Elwood Godman read a number of specimen memoranda beef cost sheets showing the credits allowed by the defendants for by-products in making the compilations. The sheets were for cattle killed at the South Omaha plant in March, April, May, June, July and August, 1910.

They showed the killing charge to be \$2.70 a head, the allowance for offal 35 cents a head and the credit for hides varied from four to six cents a pound.

The government contends that these allowances given for by-products were below the actual market value, and that they played an important part in fixing the selling price of meat by the alleged packers' combine.

James McLeese, clerk in charge of Armour & Co. for seven years, the next witness called by the government, was unable to remember any of the allowances made for by-products in figuring the test cost of beef.

### PORTER CHARLTON SAID TO BE SANE

American Who Murdered His Beautiful Wife in Italy, May Be Extradited.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Porter Charlton, who murdered his wife, Mrs. Mary Scott Castle Charlton, at Lake Como, in Italy, in 1910, is perfectly sane, according to the district attorney of Hudson county, N. J., and the Jersey City jail officers. He is in splendid health.

At the office of the district attorney it was said there was absolutely no chance of Charlton's release on bail, and that he would remain in jail pending the outcome of the proceedings which are to determine whether he is to be returned to Italy. The case is now before the supreme court of the United States.

### Aged Miner Prisoner At Bottom of Shaft

Tries in Vain to Effect Release; Hat Leads to His Rescue.

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., Jan. 20.—His arm being broken in an effort to escape from the bottom of a 75-foot shaft in the Ellen Mine in the Avawatz mountains, Walter Crawford, a miner 60 years of age, was held prisoner for 48 hours until he was rescued today by Burt Lawrence and Chris Holman.

The attention of the rescuers was called to Crawford's plight by the sight of a hat near the opening to the shaft. They investigated and soon brought the aged miner, who was unconscious, to the surface.

When revived he explained that he had attempted to descend into the shaft by means of a rope, which broke and precipitated him to the bottom. He tried to climb out, but fell backwards, breaking his arm.

### Aviator Arrested for Speeding an Aeroplane

Los Angeles Policeman Says the Birdman was Hitting the High Places.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 20.—The distinction of being the first aviator ever arrested for speeding an aeroplane fell to the lot of Farnum T. Fish, the 18-year-old aviator, while on the way from this city to the aviation field at Dominguez.

Young Fish had an engagement to fly early in the day and was rushing his machine along in tow of a powerful automobile, when he was halted by a motorcycle policeman and charged with speeding. He was allowed to continue to the field after agreeing to appear in court Monday. The officer charges that Fish was making fifty miles an hour when arrested.

### Two Steeplejacks Fall 130 Feet to Their Death

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 20.—Two steeplejacks, Herman Greenwood, 25, and August Johnson, 48 years old, fell 130 feet to death today when Greenwood attempted to save his com-

### PARROTS AT DINNER

Mrs. Andrew Welch, Jr., Entertains Guests "in the Jungle."

Beasts Lurk at Every Turn and Underbrush Is Fairly Alive.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—With an austere and dowager-like parrot sitting on a limb and making grave comments, thirty-five guests of Mrs. Andrew Welch, Jr. dined "in the jungle" here last night.

Mrs. Welch gave an animal dinner, in a tropical setting of palms and bamboo, with lions and tigers and giraffes peering through the brake. Some of the animals were stuffed and some were not and there was much clatter and chatter of monkeys and quackings and little green parakeets mingling with the more restrained conversation of the other guests.

The table was arranged in the fashion of a jungle landscape, showing miniature mountains and forests and streams. Everywhere was a tangle of undergrowth, with pathways cut through and beasts lurking at every turn. Azaleas, acacias, orchids and jasmine, brought from South America, were used in the decorations.

### TO PACIFY KAISER

Archduke Ferdinand to Visit German Ruler On His Birthday.

Action Taken to Dispel Mistrust Existing Since the Moroccan Crisis.

VIENNA, Jan. 20.—Much comment has been caused here by the report that the Archduke Francis Ferdinand, heir to the Austro-Hungarian throne, and his consort, the Duchess Sophie of Hohenberg, intend to pay a visit to Berlin, where they will be present at the Emperor's birthday on January 27.

This is the first time a member of the Austrian imperial family has left Vienna to participate in a birthday celebration of the German imperial family, and great political significance is attached to this departure from custom.

It is believed that the visit of the Archduke is intended to dispel the mistrust of the Germans toward Austria, which has existed since the Moroccan crisis and Emperor William's reported dissatisfaction with the lack of support Germany received from her ally at that time.

### PRESIDENT TAFT PLEADS FOR ECONOMY COMMISSION

Declares Administration Has No Desire 'to Persecute Business'

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 20.—Speaking before the New Haven Chamber of Commerce President Taft made a plea for continuance of his economy and efficiency commission; declared that the administration has no desire to persecute business, but that it will continue to force the law against monopoly and unlawful combinations, and urged business men of the country to get together with him to insure prosperity.

Senator Bailey of Texas, an earlier speaker, although he called him an optimist, had sounded a warning against the increasing danger of socialism. To this warning the president took exception.

"I don't think," said the president, "that we are as near that which he fears and which I should fear if I thought we were near it as socialism. I have abiding faith in the American people. I have abiding faith after a time—for they will come back and discriminate between what is good and what is foolish. What we need is prosperity. A lack of prosperity does not make the rich uncomfortable; it is lack of prosperity that makes the poor uncomfortable. What I hope is that we'll all get together in good team work to bring about prosperity."

TOUCHING BUSINESS.  
The president did not begin speaking until late, and his address was short. In its relation to the railroads, the trusts, the tariff and the currency, the government vitally touches business, he said. He explained the change that has come in the attitude of the railroads to legislation affecting them and which they opposed vigorously a few years ago.

The recent decisions of the Supreme Court in two great cases, he said, have paved the way for business to live within the law.

"It has been enforced," said the president, "and it will continue to be enforced quickly. I hope, and with as little disturbance to business as possible."

In speaking of the tariff Taft asked that business vitally touches the tariff board that the tariff may be revised, if at all, one schedule at a time, with the least parts.

### Divorced 16 Years, Couple to Rewed

Sweethearts From Cradle, Married Years Ago, Separate, Get Another License, Is Record.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 20.—Married years ago after having been sweethearts almost from the cradle, divorced sixteen years, and now about to be rewed, is the record of Mr. and Mrs. Chase Pond, 57 and 55 years, respectively, who have been granted a marriage license. Pond is a farmer at Laguna Beach and recently met his former wife, who since their separation has lived in other parts. Both were lonesome and agreed to forget their petty differences, rewed and live together the remainder of their lives.

BIBLE CLASS FORMED.  
ALAMEDA, Jan. 20.—The young people of the First Methodist Church have formed a Bible class with the following officers: President, O. E. Bremer; vice-president, Dan Bronson; secretary, Bert Bronson; teacher, Miss Marjorie Larkin.

disturbance to business and upon the most scientific data obtainable. The currency system of the United States, he declared, must be changed, and in the plan of the national monetary commission submitted to Congress he has found nothing to fear from "Wall Street."

"I hope," he said, "that the people and Congress will find that it places the discretionary increase and decrease of money in the hands of persons not controlled by the influence of Wall street and too much controlled by the political government at Washington."

The president had only a word to say about the recall of judges.

"Back of everything else in the government," he declared, "is the administration of justice, and it seems to me that to attack it is the stroke of a dagger at the heart of civilization."

ATTACKS SOCIALISM.  
Senator Bailey of Texas attacked socialism and the initiative, referendum and recall.

"The man who denounces most the use of money in politics," he said, "is the man who uses the most money in politics. There is a person down in New York, Hearst is his name, given name William, who has had more to say about the use of money in politics than any other man whom I could name in the history of politics. There is an illustrious Democrat who had had much to say about his patriotism but who has got rich out of politics. I refer to William Jennings Bryan."

IN HOME OF PEOPLE.  
"The men who protest most about the needs of the guarantees of a written constitution are the men who are most strenuously trying to spot the constitution of this country. And they are doing it in the name of the people. And when we old-fashioned, simple-minded citizens and Democrats are trying to cling to the faith of our fathers we are called reactionaries. I am reactionary and I am not afraid to claim it. When the Republicans have also come back to the faith of the fathers we will weld all the patriotism into a mass to defend the constitution of our fathers against the unspeakable curse of Socialism."

"Republicans when they talk about Bryan should not forget their own La Follette. I want you to unite on a common policy. What I want you to do is to unite and fight without flinching the common enemy of the country, Socialism. I want to say that no Republican who ever held the office of president has tried to be more faithful to the people of this country than William Howard Taft. I would like to beat him for the presidency but not by lying about him."

In speaking of the Democratic party the senator said he had had an attack of "Bryanitis" adding, "The Democratic party will come into its own again when it has made the fight for the old-fashioned principles of our fathers. When we compromise Democracy for Socialism we condemn ourselves to everlasting defeat."

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MISS IRENE ORR, who announced her engagement today to Byron Paul, a prominent Alameda man.—Scharz Photo.

### Five-Year-Old Boy Steals Ride Under Freight Car

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., Jan. 20.—The distinction of being the world's youngest "brake beam tourist" probably belongs to 5-year-old Benny Tougoud of this city, who, with his favorite cat tucked carefully under his arm, has made a journey of six blocks under a freight car. A Salt Lake train stopped in front of

### Gold Nuggets Found In Gizzard of Turkey

Employee of Meat Market Has Visions of Fortune and Will Seek Mine.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 20.—While dressing turkey Al McKinney, employed in the poultry department of a local meat market, found in the gizzard of the bird two gold nuggets, which assayed \$2 and \$3 respectively. With visions of a gold mine he might be able to locate, McKinney investigated to ascertain where the turkey came from. It was found that the bird was shipped from a ranch at Rymouth, Amador county.

### Mrs. Roosevelt Ill; May Travel Abroad

If Health Does Not Improve the Colonel Will Make Trip With Her.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Colonel Roosevelt may take a trip abroad in the near future, contingent upon the progress toward recovery of Mrs. Roosevelt, who has been ill for some time. A sea voyage has been recommended by her physician if her health does not improve more rapidly during the next few weeks. If she makes the journey to a more salubrious climate, Colonel Roosevelt will accompany her, their trip to last two months.



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HAPPENINGS OF DAY  
IN THE ISLAND CITY;  
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# ALAMEDA

## ALAMEDA COUNCIL'S MILK SESSION WAS BRIEF

Health Committee Will Make  
Report On Matter at the  
Next Meeting.

## PIGS, COWS AND OTHER SUBJECTS DISCUSSED

Mayor Noy Given Instructions  
How to Vote On Peoples  
Water Co. Affair.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 20.—There was no money back at the box office when the special adjourned milk meeting of the city council came to a close last night with the milk matter barely touched upon. A large crowd filled the lobby and a number of the doctors of the city, in answer to subpoenas sent out by the city clerk, were on hand to give testimony on the question.

Milk was the last matter brought up and was treated with brevity. On motion of Councilman Morgenstern, who reported progress in the investigation, the entire matter was laid over until the next regular committee meeting when it will be taken up by the council in semi-executive session.

Councilman Morgenstern reported that he is doing all in his power to investigate the cause of the recent sickness among a half score of infants. He said that he and the other members of the health committee will give their time to the matter on Sunday to further investigation.

A number of those who had come to listen to the proceedings gathered around the lobby in little groups of two and three and impromptu meetings and expressions of opinion were heard.

"PIGS IS PIGS."

Pigs instead of cows formed the chief topic of discussion and photographs of pigs, but not in clover, were passed around for the edification of the members of the council. The photographs were taken on the hog ranch of Dr. J. A. Scott on Bay Farm Island and depicted insanitary surroundings. One view showed a fat pig floating down a slough on the edge of the tide. Dr. J. A. Scott, president of the board of health, stated that he had notified Scott that the place was unfit for the keeping of hogs and ordering their removal. He said that Scott had already commenced the demolition of his buildings and disposition of the stock.

Councilman Probst made a motion that the man be allowed 90 days in which to remove his hogs from the island. This was objected to by Councilman Morgenstern who thought that if the surrounding areas were not in a healthful condition, 90 days was too long a time to endure the stench. The motion was carried.

Councilman Probst carried.

S. P. LETTER.

A communication from the Southern Pacific, enclosing a copy of a reply sent to John Reardon was read. Reardon had written to the company asking that the main street at Stanton Street, in the answer the railroad company stated that it is willing to stop its trains at the street mentioned provided that the railroad company will be interfered with. It was expected that Reardon would be present and on his failure to answer to his name when called, the entire matter was laid over to the next meeting of the council.

The matter of acceptance of the plans for the construction of the new and improving of Oakland and Alameda harbors, referred to the city engineer for an answer, came up. Engineer Chapman stated that he was in the city and that an attorney was the proper person to answer the letter of the war department and on his recommendation the matter was referred to the city engineer.

It is understood that none of the city officials favor the proposed change of lines inasmuch as it will preclude Alameda from receiving the reclaiming or acquiring tide lands from the State.

Councilman Probst brought to the attention of the council the matter of complaining being made by south side property owners to the effect that sickness pumped from the Oakland harbor to the south side of the city. The matter was carried up by the tide and deposited on the beaches along the south side.

On motion the city engineer, superintendent of streets and the city engineer were instructed to make an examination of the conditions as existing and bring them to the attention of the United Engineering company.

MAYOR INSTRUCTED.

Instructions were given to Mayor Noy as to how he is to vote at any meeting of the mayors of the east side cities called to consider the acquisition of the plant and systems of distribution of the Peoples Water company. The instructions were to the effect that if a district proposed for the acquisition of the plant and systems of the company he is to ask for time, and if time is refused he is to vote against the proposition. Mayor Noy reported in connection that the meeting scheduled to have been held last Tuesday was indefinitely postponed.

Referring to the water meeting scheduled to be held in the council chambers next Tuesday evening, Councilman Morgenstern reported that a number of those present on that day owing to having accepted invitations from the civic club of Berkeley, which is discussing the same subject that evening. On his motion the water meeting was postponed to Thursday evening.

Councilman Walker registered a complaint against the practice of the railroad company in running only one car on the local ferry systems during the day. He stated that all other cities are allowed two cars. The chief objection, he pointed out, is that the smoking apartment is too small and that many are compelled to ride in the "ladies" section, when dressed in rough clothing.

On his motion the clerk was instructed to communicate with proper officials of the Southern Pacific company, requesting that two cars be run in all the

## AEOLIAN YACHT CLUB ELECTS GEORGE POSTEL COMMODORE

COMMODORE GEORGE POSTEL of the Aeolian Yacht Club and the new flagship, Enma.



ALAMEDA, Jan. 20.—The Aeolian Yacht Club held its annual election of officers last night, closing the meeting with a banquet. George Postel, owner and skipper of the speedy loop Enma, was elected commodore. Other officers elected were: Vice-commodore, Carl E. Strom; port captain, B. Roebke; secretary, Walter Jacob; treasurer, S. M. Wilson; measurer, S. M. Boysen; directors, L. T. Ward, George Jones, Ben Jost and Henry Jost.

Commodore Postel is one of the most popular yachtsmen sailing on the bay. He has been connected with the Aeolian club ever since the organization was started. The club is in a very prosperous condition and is looking forward to the banner season of its history.

The work of finishing the interior of the large assembly hall of the clubhouse will be started next week. The members had a pleasant two hours about the banquet board last night, following the business. Songs, stories and speeches composed an interesting program.



## DR. PERRY IS NEW TEACHER OF BLIND

BERKELEY, Jan. 20.—Richard S. French has resigned as head teacher of the blind in the California Institution for the Deaf and the Blind, to become principal of the Los Banos High School, and he has been succeeded by Dr. Newell Perry. Dr. Perry is a graduate of the University of California. He received the degree of doctor of philosophy at the University of Munich, and was for eight years head of the mathematics department at Columbia University. The new teacher is preparing to carry out his ideas for the education of the blind along vocational lines.

## WOODMEN OF WORLD TO INITIATE TONIGHT

BERKELEY, Jan. 20.—The associated camps of the Woodmen of the World of Alameda county, will hold a monster class initiation at Lincoln hall, South Berkeley, this evening.

Over 100 candidates will be given the protection degree of the order. A special staff of officers will exemplify the work.

The degree team of Oakland camp, No. 94 will assist in the ceremonies, giving an exhibition drill after the regular initiatory work. The Alameda county executive committee will have charge of the affair.

## REV. MARTIN TO LECTURE.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 20.—The Rev. Willis M. Martin will lecture tomorrow afternoon before the Oakland Young Women's Christian Association. The address will be on what young women can do to advance the cause of Christianity.

## BERKELEY SOCIETY

BERKELEY, Jan. 20.—Mrs. Edwin Carlisle Williams of Northridge will entertain informally on the afternoon of Tuesday, February 20, in honor of Mrs. Bertrand York and Mrs. Fitzhugh Lee Minnerogede. Mrs. Williams formerly made her home in Alameda and the two guests of honor are Alameda girls, both brides of recent date, the former being Ruth Sadler and the latter Ethel O'Brien. The affair, to which a score or so have been bidden, is one of several farewell parties being planned for the brides. Lieutenant and Mrs. Minnerogede will leave in February for the Philippines, where they will establish their new home, and Mr. and Mrs. York leave at about the same time for the east for an extensive visit.

The younger members of the First Christian church gave a reception Thursday evening in honor of Prof. W. F. Meyer and his bride who have just returned from their honeymoon. The wedding took place several weeks ago in Des Moines and the reception was a greeting to the newcomers. The bride and groom were presented with a tea set.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Tompkins and their son will leave shortly for the East and Europe, where they will spend a year and a half in travel.

Miss Clara Freuler, the local soprano, will make her first appearance in concert since her return from abroad on the 23rd at the Palace Hotel. She will be assisted by Ernest Allan, violinist; Mrs. Robert M. Hughes and Frederick Maurer, pianists.

## BOYS' CLUBS HOLD FIRST RALLY OF YEAR

BERKELEY, Jan. 20.—Intermediate boys' clubs of the Berkeley Y. M. C. A. held their first meeting of the term at headquarters last night with a dinner upon political topics. The leaders who took an active part in the affair were: Boys' Work Director Dickson, Frank J. Clark, Alfred Solomon, Harry Platz. The junior clubs will meet tonight to elect the boys' cabinet and officers.

Berkeley Boy Scout Council has begun arrangements for participation in the reception to General Baden-Powell, founder of the scout movement, who is to be in the bay region in March. An effort will be made to have the leader visit Berkeley.

## COLLEGE SUFFRAGISTS TO STUDY POLITICS

BERKELEY, Jan. 20.—As a result of the victory of the suffrage cause the College Equal Suffrage Club yesterday added to its name "Civic Study Club." Plans were made for lectures by prominent public men of the state upon political topics to be given on alternate Fridays. The following officers were elected: President, Miss Dorothy Baldwin; vice-president, Miss Jessie Preble; secretary, Miss Lois Glidden; treasurer, Miss Agnes Slight. The meeting was held in room 105, California Hall, on the university campus.

## ALAMEDA PERSONALS

ALAMEDA, Jan. 20.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kincaid and their daughter Dorothy, have returned from an extended trip abroad. They have been away for the last year and a half, one year of which they lived in Paris, the other six months they passed seeing the sights in Germany and Italy.

Mr. and Mrs. Kincaid were former well-known residents of Alameda. Miss Dorothy is a graduate of Miss Head's school. They have taken up their residence in Berkeley, at 1240 Shattuck avenue.

Dr. Howard T. Davis has left for a six months' trip to the east.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Painter, Miss Janet and Miss Pauline Painter will go to Santa Cruz for several months.

Mrs. W. A. Rogers entertained at luncheon yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. W. W. Willis of Oroville and Mrs. L. H. Alexander of this city. The hostess and Mrs. Alexander were former Oroville residents and the affair for the hostess and her two children was almost an Oroville reunion. Mrs. Willis returns to Oroville Monday and will be accompanied by Mrs. Alexander. She has been paid considerable social attention during her visit in Alameda. She has been a house guest at the home of Mrs. Alexander.

Miss Ethel Miller is in San Diego as the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. R. Baker. Mr. Baker is formerly Mrs. Mabel Miller, a popular Alameda girl.

Mrs. George Jones was the hostess yesterday afternoon for the West End Em-broidery club, entertaining at her home on Haight avenue.

Mrs. William Dodge hosted a bridge party this afternoon at her home on Jose Avenue, entertaining 16 of her bridge playing friends. The serving of dainty refreshments closed the afternoon.

Miss Dorothy Kuchel has returned from Los Gatos where she was visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Dunne.

## IDENTIFY MEN AS OLD OFFENDERS

Suspicious Characters in Berkeley Given Away by the Fingerprint System.

BERKELEY, Jan. 20.—Following the arrest of three suspicious characters who followed A. Logie of 2540 College avenue from San Francisco to this city Thursday night, two of the men, Frank Back and James White, were identified by means of the fingerprint system as having been arrested last year on robbery charges. The pair, with Drago Paroych, the third man, have been booked at police headquarters here in charges of vagrancy.

Back was arrested for robbery in Sacramento October 16, 1911, and White, under the name of John Anderson, was in custody in San Diego last June on a charge of robbery, which was reduced to battery.

Logie informed the crew of an Alcatraz Thursday evening that the three men were aboard and had followed him across the bay. He telephoned to the police station from Telegraph avenue and Bancroft way, and after meeting two policemen located the men at Ashby and College avenues. Logie declared that White had followed him from San Francisco on the previous night, and that he was sure the men were planning to waylay him. He had never seen any of the men until Wednesday night, he asserted.

The prisoners declare their innocence of any designs upon Logie, and give account of visiting friends on this side of the bay.

They were arraigned in Justice of the Peace Robert Edgar's court yesterday afternoon and the cases continued to be set following the defendants' pleas of not guilty.

## PATROLMAN IS RESTING EASILY

Is Most Severely Hurt of Those Injured in Yesterday's Accident.

Patrolman Michael Powers, the most severely injured of those hurt in the wreck of the police van which was struck by a San Pablo avenue car yesterday morning, is taking the chain-gang to the city gaol, and is reported to be resting easily at the Providence Hospital today, and the physicians hold out every hope for his recovery. Patrolman Powers sustained a fracture of the collar-bone, and internal injuries of a serious nature were feared. The physicians declare that for an aged man the officer has shown remarkable powers of recuperation.

None of the others received serious injuries.

Five prisoners who sustained minor cuts and bruises were taken to the receiving hospital, where their injuries received medical attention. These were: Edward Guy, Dennis Nolan, Tom White and Arthur Jones.

Complaints were made by other members of the chain-gang who were in the prison van when it was struck. These were carefully examined by Dr. E. N. Ewer, city health officer, and received medical attention for some minor injuries.

The men attended by Dr. Ewer follow: John Anderson, W. R. Brown, Lewis Clements, Pat Connolly, Frank Cook, Patrick Fogarty, Thomas Foley, Clarence Green, Hong Chong, Frank Jones, Winifred Manley, Charles Osberg, Tancig Pappillon, Frank Ellis, W. B. Quinn, Joseph John Ryan, Jerry Sullivan, Frank Tobriano, H. Waters, William White, A. Williams, Roy Wilson, James Williams, William Wilson and John Ryan.

## FIND REMAINS OF B. W. REEDE

PARIS, Jan. 20.—A 1500-foot plunge to earth in a burning monoplane at the aviation grounds at Senlis yesterday resulted in probably fatal injuries to Lieutenant Berner of the French army aviation corps. The lieutenant's legs were badly burned and his feet almost destroyed before he could be taken from beneath the burning aeroplane and hurried to the army hospital.

## Mail Wagon Driver for Local Postoffice Supposed to Have Taken Life.

The body of B. W. Reede, 60 years old, a mail wagon driver in the local department and living at 413 Ninth street, was found in the estuary off Grand street, Alameda, this morning. It is believed that the suicide was the cause of death as the aged man had been in ill health for some time.

Reede was last seen alive at 10:45 last night, at the wharf where the mail wagons are kept and above which he resided alone. In his pockets at the time the body was found were mail orders dated several years ago and signed by Superintendent of Mails R. J. Faneuf of the Oakland postoffice. His identity was established through the papers.

Reede had been employed in the office as driver of one of the wagons used to convey mail from trains for the last six years. He was considered a faithful and trusted employee. Little is known of his family connections and he is believed to have been a bachelor.

## DR. WOODMAN TO SPEAK ON "YEAR OF LOCUSTS"

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Jan. 20.—The sermon at the 10:30 mass in Newman hall tomorrow will be delivered by Rev. Thomas Lantry O'Neill C. S. P., pastor of the Locusts. The musical program will consist of the singing of Gounod's mass for male voice and the offertory.

Rev. Thomas Lantry O'Neill C. S. P., will be the celebrant of the early mass, at 7:30 o'clock.

Immediately after the late mass the members of the Newman club will hold the first regular meeting of the spring. The following musical program is announced for the Benediction service at 5 o'clock p. m.:

"Ave Maria Stella" (Rosewig) trio for male voices; Messrs. MacFadyen, Bryn and Webb; "O Solitaires" (Albrecht) "Pantum Ergo" (Gregorian) New club male quartet; bass solo, "The Hour of Prayer" (Mellie) Walton C. Webb. An invitation is extended to the public to attend all religious services in Newman hall.

## STRAW MAN CAUSES A SEMINARY PANIC

Girls of Select School in Berkeley Frightened by Effigy Hanging From Roof.

BERKELEY, Jan. 20.—Miss Mary Wilson, principal of Miss Head's seminary, the exclusive girls' school on Bowditch street, is making every effort to learn the identity of the prank-players who suspended an effigy of a male student in front of the dormitory windows of the institution yesterday morning, frightening the young women into a panic.

A bundle of straw, covered with corduroy trousers, "ruffneck" sweater, "rah-rah" hat and a big "C" was found suspended by a rope from the roof of the seminary when the teachers and students arose about 7 o'clock. Even residents across the street who saw the imitation believed at first that it was the body of a man who had chosen the roof of a house filled with girls from which to drop in to oblivion. The girls' students' terror of a man was not decreased by the evidence at hand that the "man" was dead.

The "body" was cut down by members of the faculty. It is believed to have been suspended by students of the mischievous class which placed a similar effigy in the door-yard of the Bide-a-Vee club on Bancroft way last year.

## STARVATION 'CURE' VICTIM ON STAND

Sister of Claire Williamson and Uncle Appear Against Mrs. Hazzard.

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 20.—The appearance of Miss Dorothea Williamson, brought into court at Port Orchard as a witness against Mrs. Linda Burfield Hazzard, who is charged in the Kitsap county Superior Court with murder in the first degree was greatly changed from eight months ago, when she was removed from Mrs. Hazzard's Ollala institution a living skeleton, and her life despaired of.

She was in court to testify against Mrs. Hazzard, who, it is alleged, is responsible for the death of her younger sister Claire Williamson, whose death at the Ollala sanatorium May 19, 1911, was accredited to starvation.

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The girls had planned to separate and go on journeys to London and Australia and they were to take a three weeks' cure before departing on their journey, at a fixed rate of \$60 each per month for the treatment, which consisted of hammerings on the body and beatings about the head administered by the lusty fists of Mrs. Hazzard.

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## ROBERTSON WILL ADDRESS BOYS AT OAKLAND Y. M. C. A.



ROBERT ROBERTSON.

Robert Robertson, who is to address the Boys' meeting at the Oakland Young Men's Christian Association Sunday afternoon at 3:15, has become deservedly popular with the Y. M. C. A. boys. Some time ago, when the boys visited Robertson's place of business on an educational trip he treated them with generosity and kindness. In the country jail for petty larceny by Police Judge Deasy today.

T. L. McGovern of 1425 Dolores street, is the inventor of a burglar alarm which he has not yet had patented, but which is the product of many months of labor. Stopping his buggy at Seventeenth and Valencia streets, some one stole a suit case containing the contrivance while he was in a store. He was in distress and thought that all his work had gone for naught.

Meantime Sullivan, who had taken the grip, and who was running away with it, had started the alarm going by the jolting of the suit case. He held on to it, however, but unfortunately passed the corner of Twentieth and Mission streets in his flight. The sound of the bell which was ringing attracted the attention of Detectives Burke and Richards, who were on the corner, and they, suspecting something, arrested Sullivan and opened the grip.

## FILCHES BURGLAR ALARM; ARRESTED

And Now Joseph Sullivan Is in Jail Because of His Rash Act.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—Burglars, sneak thieves and confidence operators have put their hands upon some peculiar things in the past, but the strangest case on record, and one which caused great discomfort to two persons was the theft of a burglar alarm by Joseph Sullivan, who for stealing the instrument which resulted in his capture, was given three months in the county jail for petty larceny by Police Judge Deasy today.

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## SLAYER OF WOMAN IS GIVEN FIFTEEN YEARS

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—For the murder of Ynez Garcia, Eleno Martnel was sentenced to fifteen years in San Quentin by Superior Judge Cabanis today. The killing occurred during the excitement of an argument when Martnel drew a knife and slashed the woman until she fell fainting on a couch. He then bathed her wounds and tried to allay her suffering, thus showing that he had not willfully intended to slay her.

The murder occurred on October 8. Martnel and Manuel Cruz had been quarreling and Ynez Garcia took Cruz's part.

## AUTO AND WAGON MEET ON MARSH

Charles D. Bausch Is Painfully Hurt in Webster Street Mixup.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 20.—Charles D. Bausch, driver of an Oakland confectionary wagon, lies at his home, 2044 Central avenue, in a serious condition as the result of a collision between his wagon and an auto owned and driven by Harry M. Johnson, an Oakland real estate broker. The collision took place last night on the Webster street roadway while Bausch was enroute to his stables on Sherman street. Johnson was driving his auto to his home at 1114 Bay street, this city. Bausch was just turning onto Webster street from a cross cut road which runs across the Alameda marsh on the east side of Webster street. The car and wagon came together while both were going at a brisk rate.

The horse was so badly injured that it will probably have to be killed and the wagon was smashed into wreckage. Bausch was thrown from his seat and under the wagon and car. Though no bones were broken internal are feared. Johnson's car sustained considerable damage but Johnson was not hurt. The broker picked up Bausch and brought him to the Bausch home on Central avenue.

## INLAND EMPIRE RESIDENTS COMING

Excursionists Will Be Shown Around Cities of East Bay Shore.

Nearly 200 members of the Inland Empire excursions from the Pacific-Northwest and Canada are expected to arrive in Oakland Monday morning and spend the morning in sight-seeing in Oakland and the surrounding cities on the east-bay shore. The party will arrive at 9:30 at Sixteenth street, where it will be met by Secretary A. A. Denison of the Chamber of Commerce, with several cars of the Oakland Traction Company, which will accompany the party on the tour.

The party is the second this season which has visited Oakland from Washington, Oregon and the northern country. The coming party is composed in the main of residents of Spokane, Walla Walla, Washington, who will also visit San Francisco and Los Angeles before returning home.

## ANNUAL MEETING OF NORTH SIDE CLUB

ALAMEDA, Jan. 20.—The North Side Improvement club held its annual installation of officers at its club rooms in McKim Hall Monday evening. The former Mayor E. K. Taylor installed the following officers: Dr. Tom Carpenter, president; A. E. Acklorn, first vice-president; C. F. Adams, second vice-president; R. B. Tappan, Jr., treasurer; G. B. Borie, secretary; M. H. Dunn, sergeant-at-arms. The following were installed as directors: T. C. West, George McGrath, M. Bernstein, P. J. Hulse, E. K. Taylor.

Address were made by Dr. Carpenter, former Mayor E. K. Taylor; Councilman Alfred L. Morgenstern; Max Dill, Judge R. B. Tappan, Jr., A. Osterdock, J. Allan and others. Music was furnished by L. A. McGlaulin, Jr., and C. M. Townsend. A mock trial, with Dr. Carpenter as the defendant, was the chief feature of the evening. E. K. Taylor prosecuted the case, and W. A. Nicholson and F. A. Berlin defended Carpenter who was acquitted on a technicality. The witnesses were C. A. Borie, Max Dill and the accused. The jury, which acquitted Carpenter, was composed of Will C. Wood, J. G. Kearney and Joseph Stachler.

## MRS. JANE INGANNI DIES.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 20.—Mrs. Jane Inganni, who died yesterday in Lane Hospital, San Francisco, was buried today in St. Mary's cemetery. The funeral services were held this morning. Mrs. Inganni was the wife of Frank Inganni and is also survived by two daughters. Her husband is a well-known soccer football enthusiast and player. The family home is at 1021 Regent street.

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FIVE steady men to learn cigar trade; good wages while learning. 111 8th st., near Mission, San Francisco.

GENTLEMEN or ladies for fraternal promotion work; the best people; earn \$5 or more a day; large and growing order. Call 308 Bacon Block, 9-12 a. m.

IF you are a live real estate salesman, either subdivision or acreage, and can finance yourself until you get on your feet in a new location, the largest real estate firm in Central California has an opening for you; positively no advances made. Communicate at once with Murray, the real estate man, Fresno, Cal.

NEAT boy wanted for book store; state age when answering. Box 7414, Tribune.

WE locate efficient people for responsible clerical positions and secure desirable positions for efficient people. 233 Bacon Bldg.; phone Oakland 2293.

WANTED—Live man to take sole charge of old established real estate office. Box 163, P. O., Fruitvale.

WANTED—Ten high-grade salesmen for permanent positions. 514 Thayer Bldg.

**LIQUOR CURE.**  
MEN TAKE NOTICE—Liquor cured in three weeks at small cost by Connelley's Liquor Cure; in past 13 years over 10,000 cases successfully treated; ask for testimonials. 1127 26th ave.

**HELP WANTED—FEMALE**  
A GIRL or middle-aged woman to do light housekeeping in Piedmont; 5-room house; 2 adults and child; in family; small washing; 3 or more afternoons off each week; pleasant room; wages \$17. Phone Piedmont 5880.

AT THE Success, 1256 Broadway, room 251. Cooks, \$50; nurses, \$30; chambermaids, \$25; waitresses, \$25; cash \$85 and \$40. Phone Oakland 737, A. 3012.

A GERMAN, Swedish or Finnish girl for housework; must be fond of child; two in family; good home. Phone Oakland 6055.

A THOROUGHLY experienced cook; best of wages; no cash. 585 and 40. Apply Monday, 1382 Alce st.

A NEAT young girl to learn dressmaking. Apply 729 Madison st.

BERKELEY New Employment Office—Good cooks, first and second girls, girls for general housework. 1128 Bancroft way; phone Berkeley 537.

COMPETENT help wanted. Mrs. Nelson's General Employment Agency, 1256 Broadway; phone Oakland 1945, A. 5664.

EXPERIENCED girl for cooking and general housework; good home and good wages; 4 in family. 214 Hillside ave., Piedmont; phone Piedmont 2495.

FAMILY of 3 adults wishes woman for general housework. Phone Oakland 3109.

FIVE salesladies, ages 20 to 40; permanent employment. 514 Thayer Bldg.

GIRL or woman for general housework and cooking; \$20-\$25; small family. Phone Piedmont 3401.

GIRL for general housework; two in family. Call afternoons, 123 Bonita ave., Piedmont.

GIRL to assist in light housework and children; wages \$20. 615 Walsworth ave.

GIRLS to learn telegraphing, salaries \$50 to \$200, at 1322 Broadway, room 39.

JAPANESE employment and house-cleaning office. 319 7th st., Oak. 3916, A. 4708.

NEAT, competent girl for general housework and cooking; German or Swedish preferred; references; good wages. 553 24th st.

RESPECTABLE elderly lady can have pleasant home in exchange for light services. 1319 34th ave.

STENOGRAPHER wanted; must be accurate; state salary; give phone number and address. Box 211, Tribune.

WANTED—Girl for general housework; 2 in family. Call 520 Oakland ave. after 10 o'clock Sunday, or phone Piedmont 1965.

TWO trained nurses, \$40, found; practical nurses, cooks, waitresses, chambermaids; 25 girls for general housework. W. B. E., 1255 Broadway, Oak. 3355, A-4539.

WANTED—Good girl for cooking in private family; some housework. 2317 Prospect, near Bancroft. Telephone Box 6016.

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework. 2323 Derby st., Berkeley.

# Have You a Message for the Hosts of Men Who Are Each Day Scanning the Want Columns?

THE Want Columns reach to every walk in life. Their influence is felt in the counting room, the factory, mill, in every industry and in thousands of homes. The Wants make it possible to meet all business needs at once. The Wants provide book-keepers, trained artisans, chauffeurs, demonstrators, chefs, gardeners, helpers for many particular lines of work, juvenile employees, agents, executive heads, professional men and specialists in mercantile lines—all are influenced by the Wants.

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## HELP WANTED—FEMALE

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WANTED—Girl to assist in light housework and care for young baby; comfortable room; kind treatment. Mrs. Ashely, phone Berkeley 5854.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Call 62 Bayo Vista ave. (take Oakland ave. car), or phone Piedmont 611.

WANTED—Competent girl for housework; small family; good wages. Call 1690 35th ave., Fruitvale.

WANTED—A capable woman for second work. Apply at 77 Fairmount ave., phone Oakland 4274.

WANTED—Competent woman to care for baby one year old; wages \$25. Call 1527 Castro, cor. 16th.

WOMAN, smart APPEARANCE, for saleswoman; waists and corsets. 458 14th st.

WANTED—Domestic for light housework. Apply 470 Oak Grove ave., Oakland.

YOUNG girl to assist in general housework. Phone Berkeley 1075.

**SITUATIONS WANTED**  
MALE  
AUTOMOBILE MECHANIC will call, clean or repair private cars; best reference. Stoker, 611 7th st.; phone Oakland 1843.

A JAPANESE cook or waiter, with many years' experience, wishes position in small family. G. Tana, 1835 San Pablo ave.; phone Oakland 2276.

BOY to work for room and board while going to school. 1322 Santa Fe ave., West Berkeley.

CHAUFFEUR wants position in Oakland; private family; experienced; two years on Kissel car; single, sober; best references; no objections to leaving city. Box 51, Tribune. 683 Market st., San Francisco.

CARPENTER, handy man, does rough carpentering, painting, tinting, bulins fences, chicken corrals, shacks, repairs roofs, cleans gutters. Carpenter, phone Piedmont 3246.

CHINESE boy wants position; must have time to attend school. Call or address Chan Yuen, 294 8th st., Congregational Mission.

CHINESE school boy will do general work in private family near Lincoln school; small wages. Wong You, 357 8th st., Oakland.

CHINESE, first-class cook, wants position in family; \$45 to \$50 a month. 351 8th st., Oakland.

CARPENTER wants work from owner; \$3.50 day, all kinds jobbing. Phone Piedmont 2123.

CHINESE cook wishes position in hotel, restaurant or camp. Wong Sing, 365 8th st.

CHINESE school boy wishes position in family. Tom Lim, 915 Webster st.

IN meat market by a young man who can cut and butcher, also handle groceries and vegetables. Address Box 2244, Tribune; phone Oakland 5158.

JAPANESE school boy wishes situation in Oakland. 509½ 7th st., Oakland; phone Oakland 1581.

MAN wants plain cooking in boarding house, camp or cook's helper. Call 2213 Carlton at phone Berkeley 616.

PAINING, tinting, paper-hanging; pure lead in all; guaranteed. Phone A 5204.

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**FEMALE—(Continued)**  
WILL take care of children by hour or day or day work; reliable party. Address R. F. D. Box 331C, Fruitvale station, Oakland.

WANTED—Position as working matron of a children's or aged people's home. Address Mrs. J. W., 658 52d st.

WANTED—A position as housekeeper for gentleman; fond of children. 1523 Santa Fe ave., West Berkeley.

WOMAN wishes work by the day. Call or address Mrs. Walte, 2909 Union st., Oakland.

**AGENTS WANTED**  
AGENTS wanted for stencil plant business; state and county rights for sale. Call or address 1511 Ward st., near Grove, or phone Berkeley 1137.

BIG INDUCEMENTS for agents selling our Magic Vacuum Cleaner; best on the market. C. P. Adams Co., 308 Telegraph ave.

WANTED—Stock salesmen; bay district; A1; life insurance proposition; only one now on the market; it's worth your time to look this over. Call Shattuck Hotel, Berkeley; W. T. Moore.

**SALESMEN—SOLICITORS.**  
WANTED—Two good hustlers for soliciting work; silverware and household furnishings; good opportunity. Call Barlow & Co., 555 12th st., Oakland.

**DAY & CONTRACT WORK**  
LANDSCAPE GARDENERS.  
PAUL HEINERICH & CO.,  
Specialist in moving trees.  
655 10th st., Oakland.

**BUSINESS CHANCES**  
A SACRIFICE—Good paying rooming house, must sell. 1525 Franklin; call before 12 o'clock.

**Business Chances**  
We have all kinds of business chances. Call and see our list, the largest in Oakland.

**J. Hay Smith Co.**  
555 BROADWAY.  
DELICATESSEN—GROCERIES: 3 living rooms; fine location; sacrifice; going East. 1613 Brush.

FOR SALE—A good saloon; lease 5 years; price right; owner must sell account of sickness. Apply Macdonald & Patterson, 1022 Broadway.

FOR RENT—Space for delicatessen in the new, large market. Apply 552 20th st.

FINE milk route with cows, for sale, doing good business. Phone Merritt 933.

FOR SALE, cheap, good paying business in good location. 631 14th st.

FOR SALE—Lunch room; clears \$125 month; rent \$25. 405 11th st.

GLASSWARE—LIGHT HARDWARE business, well established in business center; will sell at once; my time and money more profitably invested in other line. Box 2255, Tribune.

**Oakland, Cal. Towel Co.**  
TOWELS SUPPLIED ALL BUSINESSES  
HOUSES, OAKLAND AND HOME A-3560.  
ROOMING for sale; good location; Oakland. Box 2251, Tribune.

SNAP \$800, grocery and fruit store; sales \$40 to \$50 per day; cheap rent; fine location; investigation invited; exceptional offer; must be sold at once as owner is leaving for East. Box 2254, Tribune.

SALESMAN knows good grocery and good drygoods store for sale; see your chance. Address B. H. J., 1016 E. 24th street.

STATIONERY, confectionery, cigars, etc., cash sale; trial given. 1297 Market st., Oakland.

WE can sell your business and can prove it; list your bargains today; we have plenty of buyers for all lines of business that will take the money. Scanlon, 230 Bacon Block.

**INVESTMENTS**  
FOR SALE—Five shares of Vulcan Fire Insurance Co. stock, \$85. Howard F. Shepherd, 2420 Raymond ave., Los Angeles.

**To the Small Investor**  
I am an ad man, trying to write an advertisement that will convince. The circumstances are unusual. I know the proposition; I have studied it; had it drilled into me; it is one opportunity in a lifetime.

How can I gain your confidence? How can I meet you clean and square? I am going to try with the naked truth—make it plain, sincere. I am of the opinion that in the wheel, a salary man I know the striving and scrambling to save up the \$500 or \$1000. I know the inadequacy of a 4% reward—savings bank interest. I have felt the disappointment.

Now give me your careful attention. There is a chance for you to participate in the original prospectus of a large California land project. To buy stock in a scheme, but to become part owner in something tangible, something your own common sense will tell you is worth five times the amount you pay for it. The chance has been done by the best of men in progress—\$50,000 worth of stock is to be distributed among small investors.

Think deeply now. I state that this is absolutely true. The men who are at present stockholders are prominent business men and bankers around the bay. The men who are handling the deal are big men of spirit and have backed their plan not only with their money, but the money of friends and clients.

If you are awake, if you have a spark of ambition, if you are ready to go to the top, if you are ready to make a legitimate way, I am going to interest you. Think of having at least twice your present wealth when the Panama Canal project is above them. This is the chance of the immediate growth of this state.

I am not writing to agents, promoters, or financial advisers. I am trying to reach the man above them. I am trying to reach the hard working man or woman who has asked for a chance. I am giving you THAT chance. I WANT YOU OF THE OPPORTUNITY. Box 2215, Tribune.

**SITUATIONS WANTED**  
FEMALE  
A LADY bookkeeper of four years' experience wishes a position; holds good recommendations; can furnish best of references. Phone Merritt 3998; ask for secretary.

A NEAT, respectable, middle-aged French housewife wishes as housekeeper. Box B-239, Tribune.

A COMPETENT woman wishes cooking or housework by the hour or day. Phone Oakland 2154.

A LADY with baby 7 months old, wishes position as housekeeper. 717 11th st.

COMPETENT lady bookkeeper, cashier or general office work, wants position; very good references. Box B-102, Tribune, Berkeley.

EXPERIENCED nurse will care for invalid in own home. Phone A 3883.

FINNISH girl wishes to assist in housework; speaks little English. Phone Berkeley 6013.

GERMAN woman, first-class cook and housekeeper, wants position; best references. Box B-102, Tribune, Berkeley.

GOOD, reliable lady wishes position doing cooking and general housework. Box 7416, Tribune.

GOOD, practical nurse; best references. 2155 West st. (new No. 3207).

LADIES' dresses and suits tailored at very low prices and best work; have had over 15 years' experience. 1553½ Broadway; phone Home A-5602.

REFINED girl wishes light housework in a nice home. Box 3220, Tribune, Berkeley.

RELIABLE lady wishes position as housekeeper or cook. Box 2234



## ROOMS AND BOARD

**(Continued)**  
A SPLENDID private boarding place; ideal location; steam heat; excellent table. 1397 Allee st., cor. 15th.  
BOARD and room in a small private boarding house; all modern conveniences and comforts; rates reasonable. 1033 Jackson.  
BOARD and room in private family. 1274 Webster st., near 14th st.; phone Oakland 4765.  
BOARD and room, or day board; everything new, good home cooking; private family, close in. 133 12th st.  
BOARD and room, bath adjoining; home comforts; suitable 2; \$50. Piedmont 4682.  
BOARD and room; private family; very reasonable. 714 14th st.  
HOTEL CLARENDALE, 1315 Webster—Just opened; best service; best location.  
IDEAL place to board; bath, running water, private bath; all up-to-date; accessories that make you feel at home; near Key Route and car line. Phone Oakland 7415.  
LARGE, sunny rooms, with running water, steam heat and all modern conveniences; within walking distance of town and convenient to Key Route and several car lines; first-class board in private family. Phone Oakland 5200.  
LARGE, front room, with first-class plumbing; exposure; between two car lines and two minutes from Key Route station; can be had at once for \$50 per month; references required. Phone Piedmont 3226.  
LARGE front room with heat and board, for two. 1803 Castro, cor. 18th.  
NEWLY furnished room with board; sleeping porch; close in. 1906 Webster st., cor. 19th; phone Oakland 5550.  
NICE, sunny rooms and board. 545 28th st., Oakland; phone Oakland 204.  
ROOM and board, home comforts and cooking; near 14th st. Key Route. 1004 10th st., cor. Filbert.  
ROOM and board in refined private family; clean place. Old No. 2105 West st., new No. 3207.  
ROOM and board, private bath; facing lake; best home cooking; also garage. 1212 Lake.  
SUNNY room, suitable for couple or two single; excellent board. 1204 Madison; phone Oakland 2935.  
SELECTED boarding, with private bath, at 332 Lexox ave.  
TWO large, sunny, front rooms for couple, with or without board; bath, gas; rent reasonable. 809 Jackson.  
TABLE BOARD by the week. 614 16th st., near Jefferson.  
**ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED**  
MIDDLE-AGED gentleman in business in Emeryville, Key Route, wants board in private family, near Key Route, where cleanliness prevails and the privileges of quiet home life. Box 2278, Tribune.  
YOUNG man desires room and board with private family in Santa Fe tract, between 60th and 63d, east of Genoa. Box 2272, Tribune.  
**CHILDREN BOARDED**  
INFANTS well cared for; good home; best of references. Phone Merritt 3265.  
**ADOPTION**  
BEAUTIFUL curly-haired baby boy for adoption, 16 months old. Call at 519 Oak st.  
**HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS**  
AT 1184 Brush st., cor. 13th, sunny, light and airy front rooms, furnished complete for housekeeping, with bath, phone, gas, linen, etc.; from \$1.50 to \$4 per week; good Key Route and care.  
AA—TWO good-sized housekeeping rooms, bath, laundry; centrally located; near three car lines; also sunny single rooms. 1109 Brush, cor. 14th st.  
A NEWLY furnished, suite of 2 or 3 rooms, including kitchen, phone, Key Route. 234 East 14th st., near 2d ave.  
ATTRACTIVE, newly furnished front housekeeping rooms, with phone. 934 Filbert st.  
AAAA—Large front sunny furnished housekeeping room; \$2.75. 568 16th st.  
FOUR very large, front, sunny, moderate rooms, furnished for housekeeping; electric light, gas boiler, use of bath, phone; grate in large living room; 15 minutes' walk from 22d st. Key Route; no children. 376 Fairmont ave., near Filbert.  
FIRST-CLASS apartments, reasonable; 22d st. Key Route. New No. 2413 San Pablo.  
FRONT suite; gas range, sink, electricity; sunny rooms; bedrock prices. 921 Broadway.  
FURNISHED housekeeping room; running water, gas; \$8. 662 Sycamore st.  
FURNISHED housekeeping rooms, all conveniences. 866 San Pablo ave.  
LARGE, sunny room, regular kitchen; every convenience; rent reasonable. 915 Filbert.  
LARGE, sunny rooms, regular kitchen, coal grate, 1010 Market, corner of 11th.  
NICELY furnished housekeeping suite; gas range and sink; private family. Call 26 Chestnut, bet. 14th and 16th sts., Oakland.  
ONE, 2 or 3 large, sunny rooms, with bath, gas and phone; in private home; rent reasonable; no children. 2118 9th ave., near 21st.  
ONE, two, three sunny housekeeping rooms; central; close to Key Route; reasonable. 866 San Pablo ave.  
ONE, two and three rooms for housekeeping. 541 22d st., bet. Grove and Telegraph.  
ONE or two sunny rooms, bath, phone; \$10-\$12. 584 22d.  
THREE rooms, private bath; absolutely clean and sunny; one block to cars and Key Route; \$18; also room and private bath. \$23; 5407 Dover st. Key at 5214 Dover; phone Piedmont 1350.  
TWO sunny front apts., \$12-\$14; free electric lights, phone, bath, laundry; near Key Route. 1775 Grove, cor. Sycamore.  
TWO large, sunny, front housekeeping rooms; kitchen; running water, gas, range. 553 19th st., near San Pablo ave.  
TWO partly furnished housekeeping rooms; stove and gas; close to Key Route and San Pablo cars. 803 Isabella.  
THREE or four large housekeeping rooms with coal or gas stove. 915 Grove, corner 9th.  
TWO unfurnished housekeeping rooms in bungalow, near Key Route. 2414 24th.  
TWO sunny housekeeping rooms with kitchenette; price \$15. 809 Jackson st.  
TWO furnished housekeeping rooms, rear. \$10 month. 478 Moss ave.  
TWO suites; gas, bath, electricity; \$3 and \$10 month. 753 4th st.  
574 SAN PABLO ave., cor. 20th—Front housekeeping rooms.

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Have quality and quantity with everything essential in a high-grade house. Madison and 14th; phone Oakland 6321.  
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Modern, very reasonable; in town; 1, 2 and 3 rooms. 228 San Pablo; Oak. 2995.  
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**ELEGANTLY** and completely furnished 4-room apartment-flat; hardwood floors, two Marshall-Stearns water heaters, plumbing, exposure; between two car lines and two minutes from Key Route station; can be had at once for \$50 per month; references required. Phone Piedmont 3226.  
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**FURNISHED** suite 3 rooms, bath, steam heat, very reasonable. 1155 Castro st., Oakland.  
**LARGE** rooms; sunny, neat and clean; every convenience for comfort; private family; reference; price reasonable; close to business center, S. P. and Key Route service. Apply evenings, 1015 10th st.  
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**THREE** room sunny apartment; modern; gas, electricity; yard; on car line, near Key Route. 6945 Telegraph ave., corner Rose.  
**THREE** new rooms; unfurnished apartments. 277 24th st.  
**UNFURNISHED** 3-room apt.; steam heat, hot water. Valdez Apts., 275 23d st.  
**515—THREE** large, neat, clean rooms; bath, gas, electric, all modern; no children; 10 minutes' walk to 12th and Broadway; close to S. P. and Key Route electric service; private family. Apply evenings, 1016 10th st.  
**STORES AND OFFICES**  
**HALF STORE, 75 11th st.**  
PART of store with living rooms, suitable for dressmaking; residence neighborhood; rent reasonable. 848 54th st.  
PART of fine new store for butcher shop; cheap rent; good opening. Apply owner, cor. 44d and West.  
**REAR** of basement for rent. Apply at No. 1018 Broadway, Oakland.  
**HOUSES AND ROOMS WANTED**  
AAA—WANTED—By permanent party a 6-room unfurnished cottage; vicinity 5th ave. and E. 12th st.; must be reasonable. Box 2273, Tribune.  
FOUR to 6-room furnished flat or house within 20 minutes' walk of 14th and Broadway; must be high-class place; E. E. R., 1438 Linden st.  
MODERN 5 or 6-room unfurnished cottage; 15 minutes from heart of town; near car line; gas and electricity. Box 2276, Tribune.  
NEWLY WEDS would like to rent or lease furnished 4 or 5-room bungalow in good district; must be high-class place; this is an opportunity for persons leaving city who would like their home taken care of and at the same time bringing in an income. Box B-371, Tribune.  
TWO or 3 furnished housekeeping rooms by two ladies. Box B-258, Tribune.  
WANTED—Furnished house, suitable to keep boarders; prefer taking care of boarding house having from 8 to 10 boarders; close to car line. Address Box 227, Tribune.  
YOUNG man would like room near business district, where he can have use of a piano one hour a day. Address Box 2266, Tribune.  
YOUNG lady wants room with sleeping porch; will give reference. Box 2209, Tribune.  
**TO LEASE**  
**Lease for Sale**  
Store on east side of Broadway near 14th st. Box 2269, Tribune.  
**AUTOMOBILES**  
AUTO wanted in exchange for 10-room rooming house, filled, paying; good location; modern; running water. Box 2263, Tribune.  
FOR SALE—Royal Tourist automobile, in bungalow, near Key Route. 2414 24th.  
Franklin Six, nearly new, just out of the shop; 1 Franklin Truck, nearly new; 1 Cleveland Truck, good condition; terms cash. Apply at 63 Bacon Bldg., Oakland.  
FOR SALE—White streak Buick, 4-passenger car, 1909 model, in first-class condition, cheap. Apply Pearl & Elkington, 1716 Broadway, Oakland.  
FOUR-PASSENGER, 4-cylinder Roadster, fully equipped; first-class condition; fine auto for exchange for real estate; no cash. Box 1194, Tribune.  
NEW 1912 Flanders coupe, won from Owl; make offer. Box B-264, Tribune.  
PRIVATE garage wanted; state rental and location. Box B-299, Tribune.  
WE have the following cars to offer at a bargain:  
Mitchell, 4-cylinder ..... \$225  
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Pope Tribune, 4-pass., 4-cyl., in fine condition with magneto, 450  
JONES 1110 CO 20th and Telegraph.  
WILL, trade 30-H. P. 2-passenger roadster for Hup; equipped. Box 264, Tribune.  
1911 FLANDERS runabout; 4-cylinder, magneto; sell cheap or trade for lot. 522 15th; phone Oakland 5552.  
**MOTORCYCLES**  
FOUR-H. P. Reading-Standard; chain drive, magneto, tandem, lamp, legkings, etc.; make me an offer; a sacrifice. 686 20th st.  
**OLD GOLD AND DIAMONDS.**  
**WANTED**  
HIGHEST prices paid for old gold and diamonds. M. J. Schoenfeld, 1039 Bldg.  
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### IN THE BREAKFAST ROOM

**D**EAREST MADGE:  
Do you remember when we were kiddies how we enjoyed the planning of our day's play and study with mother in the breakfast room?

Well, recently we have established just such a morning council in our own household, and I can assure you, sister mine, that it is even more successful than those of many years ago.

Ethel and her little daughter Helen, are visiting us; so after my own precious goes off to school we linger in the sunny room to plan amusements for her until the other children return for luncheon. It's great fun. Ethel and I enjoy it as much as little Helen.

Of course you are curious to know what Ethel brought home with her from Paris. Gowns, my dear—lovely gowns and all sorts of accessories; but she only brought the simplest kind of frocks with her down here in the country.

One of her morning gowns is worthy of description, however. Of seal-brown cloth, a soft, fine cheviot, cut on one-piece lines, it is trimmed with chamois-colored corduroy.

The bodice is quite plain, showing half-sleeves cut in one with it and having a broad folded-back cuff, slashed to reveal an inset of corduroy. Corduroy-covered buttons and bound buttonholes add another touch of trimming.

From the shoulder to the waist line the bodice is slashed, showing an underset and buttons of corduroy.

This mode of trimming is carried out on the skirt, which is cut with a raised waist line and joins the bodice with two rows of stitching.

Little Helen wears a pretty frock of tan-colored challis trimmed with bands braided with black soutache and large covered button molds.

The sleeves of this frock are set over the bodice in an irregular line, stitched in place and caught at the shoulder with a large button.

I wore that quaint little frock of violet cloth which has a plain deep yoke extending over the shoulders. The lower part of the sleeves and bodice is laid in narrow box-pleats, which are hemstitched to the yoke.

The idea is used also on the skirt, where a broad plain band matches the yoke in effect. Box-pleated quilings trim the skirt and sleeves and a little frill encircles the low-cut neck.

It is really a charming little gown and very becoming.

Here I am, babbling on about clothes, when a multitude of household duties await me.

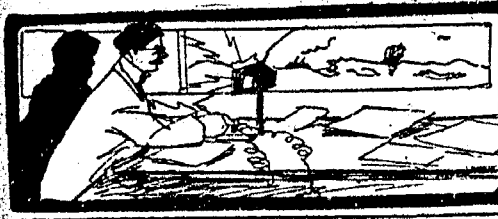
Let me hear again soon from you, dear sister, and give love and kisses to your own dear ones.

Affectionately,

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## WOMEN PLAN TO MAKE HISTORY

Clash of Oratory to Begin in England Before the Month Passes.

Suffrage Cause to Be Boosted to the Fullest Extent in Europe.

(Special to THE TRIBUNE by International News Service.)  
(By PHILLIP EVERETT.)

LONDON, Jan. 20.—Leap year, 1912, is expected to become historic in the annals of oratory to begin in earnest next month, and the suffrage and anti-suffrage societies in view of the strong lead given to the two campaigns by Lloyd George and Sir Edward Grey at the Women's Liberal Federation meeting, and by Mr. Asquith in his reception of a deputation at the House of Commons—are preparing for an encounter which most of those concerned think will be decisive.

The division of opinion upon this question in the Cabinet makes the situation particularly interesting; but seeing that the majority of members of the House of Commons have expressed themselves in favor of votes for women, and that the Prime Minister has intimated that, if the House passes an amendment on the subject it may become part of the government's reform bill, suffragists feel they have good reason for their optimistic outlook.

Tremendous efforts are to be put forward, however, by the National League for Opposing Women's Suffrage. The campaign opens seriously at Bristol on February 16, when Lord Cromer is announced to preside over a big gathering, which will be addressed by Mrs. Humphry Ward, C. E. Hobhouse, M. P., and others.

**TWO GATHERINGS**  
The Albert Hall is to be the scene of two great gatherings—one on each side—next month. Lloyd George will speak there in favor of votes for women on February 23, and Liberal Ministers—whose names were not definitely available today, but who were understood to include Lord Loughborough and Mr. Harcourt—were foreshadowed as speakers against the suffrage at another in the Albert Hall on February 28.

The Women's Social and Political Union is pursuing its militant policy, declining to accept anything short of an immediate government measure. The Women's Freedom League, on the other hand, is "holding militancy in reserve" for the present, and last night opened its annual conference at Caxton hall. At tonight's meetings at the same place the program of the League will be fixed and minimum demands will be adopted.

It is now definitely settled that the railroads of Russia and India are to be linked up by a new railroad across Persia, all financial details in regard to the raising of capital having been arranged between English, French and Russian banks a few weeks ago.

This is the result of the efforts of the powerful Russian committee formed in 1910, consisting of twenty members of the highest standing, representing political, financial and commercial interests. Later an important group of English supporters of the scheme has been formed in London, and, with the assistance of that group, it has been ascertained that the British government is prepared to join with the Russian government in forwarding the proposal with the Persian government, if satisfactory terms, route, etc., are agreed upon, and after further investigation the scheme is held to be practicable.

### PREPARED TO FIND COIN

From the inception of the project, the Russian has been the dominant force, and only the money for the preliminary expenses, but also, if required, the bulk of the entire capital. For political reasons, however, it was thought well that the project should be internationally financed. When the Russian scheme was first explained in London a few months ago, British financial circles regarded it with some skepticism, but during the last few weeks their attitude has undergone a change, and at the present moment Russian, French and British houses are arranging for joint participation in the preliminary expenses of the proposed railroad. These will amount to \$100,000, the sum for the formation of a Societe d'Etudes, whose function it will be to obtain the necessary concession from Persia.

The first and chief object of the Societe d'Etudes will be to determine definitely the alignment of the line and to establish the terms of the concession. The committee is already in possession of a nearly complete survey of more than 200 miles, from Astara to Teheran. From there to Gueitar the length of the line is some 1200 miles.

The next task of the Societe d'Etudes will be to examine the financial proposition of the proposed line. The Russian committee have made a very careful preliminary study on that question. In that study they have taken no account of the expansion of the trade which is certain to follow the construction of the line, but have based their calculation only on the existing traffic. The Russian committee have been taken through the Persian Ministers in St. Petersburg and Paris, and although nothing like definite assurances have been given, the promoters have been led to believe that Persia, when approached, will not be unfriendly to the scheme, and that the Societe d'Etudes has been formed—which it is hoped, will be within the next few weeks—Persia will be asked for permission to make the necessary further surveys and a concession applied for.

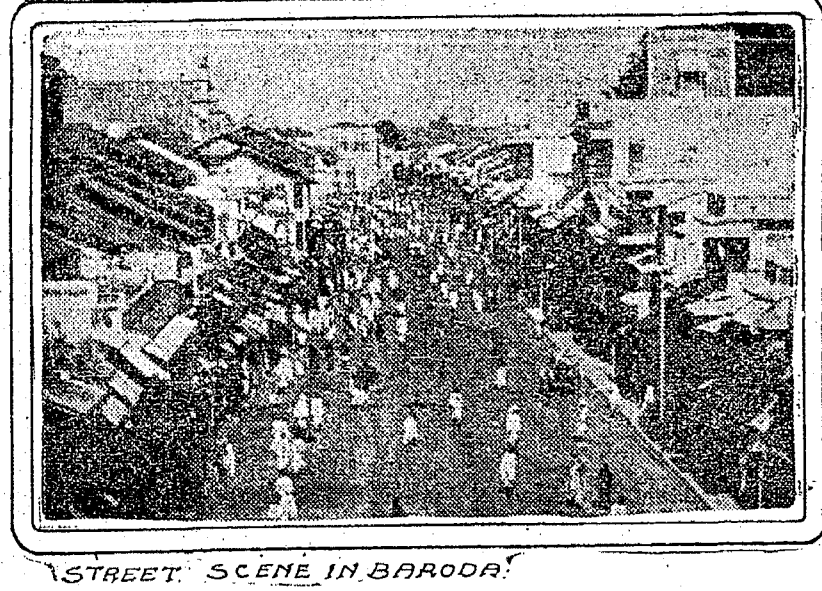
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GAEKWAR OF BARODA

HE THE DEWAN OF NEPAL

PROCESSION IN PATAN



STREET SCENE IN BARODA

## France Pessimistic Over The Outlook for Peace

(Special to THE TRIBUNE by International News Service.)  
(By FREDERICK WERNER.)

BERLIN, Jan. 20.—While we here in Germany are inclined to believe that the recent Franco-German agreement in regard to Morocco marks the beginning of an era of peace and good will between the two countries, people in France are much less optimistic. The French paper La Patrie, recently asked a number of prominent Frenchmen to express their opinion of the probable effects of the agreement, and the replies are anything but encouraging. Most of the celebrities asked being convinced that France is running great risks of being drawn into war by the growing Anglo-German rivalry.

The Marquis de Segonzac, for one, does not regard the agreement as anything but an inevitable step, as he trusts to the Kaiser's prudence, but he thinks that war between Germany and England is "an economic fatality," and that France will not remain a simple looker-on.

M. Andre Le Bon replies that these questions should more properly be addressed to the Kaiser, and that France considers the treaty a snare, which sooner or later will bring France into war, and that as war between England and Germany is certain, she will be drawn in.

General Mitroff, a distinguished retired officer, says: "War was probable before, but now it is inevitable." He adds that, while "as for the conflict between England and Germany, no one doubts that it will take place," M. Florens answers: "If war is to come out of the Anglo-German rivalry, it seems impossible that we shall not be dragged in."

M. Gustave Le Bon writes: "If all wars were founded on interests, we should not have one with Germany; as they are founded on feeling, we shall not avoid it."

## About Those Whose Pictures Are Shown Here

It is announced by the British admiralty that Admiral Sir Francis Bridgeman, G. C. V. O., K. C. B., had been appointed a vice-commissioner of the admiralty, in the place of Admiral of the Fleet Sir Arthur Wilson, V. C., G. C. B., G. C. V. O., who, it will be remembered, became first sea lord in 1909. Sir Francis Bridgeman was born on December 7, 1848. His father was the Rev. W. Bridgeman-Simpson, rector of Babworth, Nottingham, his mother a daughter of the fifth Earl Fitzwilliam. He entered the navy in 1867. From June, 1904, until May, 1905, he was second in command of the channel fleet; from March, 1906, to February, 1907, rear-admiral in the Mediterranean fleet; from March, 1907, until March, 1909, and again from last March, commander-in-chief of the home fleet. He held the position of a lord commissioner of the admiralty from March, 1909, until last March.

Princess Juliana of Holland is shown in a photograph taken by her mother, Queen Wilhelmina. The titular Maharajah of Nepal died on December 11, after expressing a wish that nothing should be done to interfere with the visit of the King to Nepal. The King decided to fulfill the engagement and spent in this state, rhinoceros and tigers being plentiful.

The King's shooting host, H. E. the Dewan (prime minister) of Nepal, who was a guest of England three or four years ago and entertained the King.

The Gaekwar of Baroda is here in two phases. On the left, at the coronation. On the right, decaying in Scotland. His cynical expression in the former case was noted with interest at the time and has since been given a sinister significance.

The Gaekwar has had publicly to apologize for his discourteous demeanor to the King at the Durbar. The state of Baroda has been to a large extent Europeanized during the Gaekwar's sway. His territory has an area a little larger than Wales.

state now that these rumors were true. The Italian government has at last found courage to look squarely into the face of facts and conceded that Italy is unable to carry out the conquest of Tripoli without enormous sacrifices of blood and money and therefore chose to make steps towards official peace negotiations at a time when, in spite of the daily routine reports of Italian victories, nothing was really happening in the theater of war.

The Italian government now wishes the war ended at the earliest possible moment and had even hoped to see the end of it before the expiration of January, but in Constantinople the statesmen were far less eager for peace, though the unstated condition of Turkish domestic politics will undoubtedly be a factor in favor of Italy's proposals.

**SEEK REASON FOR GROWTH**  
With typical German thoroughness, we are at present endeavoring to discover the reason of the continuous growth of Socialism in Germany, painfully demonstrated to us by the recent elections, and unbiased observers come to the conclusion that hundreds of thousands of German voters give their support to the socialist party, not because they sympathize with it in everything or even on the principal issues, but because German conversation is repulsive to every intelligent person outside the privileged classes, and because the socialist party is after all the only permanent, consistent, in lagging opposition force in this country.

## POLITICAL POLICE OF RUSSIA ARE THORNS



ADMIRAL SIR FRANCIS BRIDGEMAN

## DIVIDED CABINET TROUBLES GROW WORSE

(Special to THE TRIBUNE by International News Service.)  
LONDON, Jan. 20.—The troubles of the divided cabinet about votes for women are to grow worse instead of better. The National Anti-Suffrage League on the one hand and the National Union of Women Suffrage Societies on the other are already sharpening their weapons for the fight of 1912, and are formulating campaigns which will be both fierce and strenuous.

Everyone realizes that a crisis is approaching. The Prime Minister has announced that he is absolutely and wholeheartedly opposed to women's suffrage; Lloyd George is to take the field on behalf of votes for women.

In order that there may be no mistake about the matter, Lloyd George will address a meeting at the Albert Hall in support of women's suffrage on February 23, eight days after the opening of Parliament. The issue between him and his leader will be clearly defined. There is now no doubt that before the session is over the Prime Minister and the Chancellor of the Exchequer will be fighting each other on the treasury bench, and that each will have followers in the ministry. In these circumstances it is difficult to see how disaster to the government is to be averted.

The more thoughtful Liberals are already disturbed at the serious danger which is looming ahead. If we look at the Liberal party we find the Cabinet, the Ministry, Ministers in the House of Commons, and Liberals in the constituencies divided into two hostile camps. Lloyd George is going to try to get the House of Commons to accept women's suffrage, and Mr. Asquith, the leader of the government, is going to oppose it. The effort to obtain votes for women is to be made by means of an amendment to the reform bill.

"We are planning a campaign which shall sweep over all the country," said an official of the Anti-Suffrage League yesterday. "In a hundred directions our branches are being formed. We are, of course, very glad to have the Prime Minister on our side."

The Union of Suffrage Societies gave the cheer sheet of the story. "We realize it is to be a tremendous year, and are making our plans for the greatest fight we have ever attempted. Seventeen organizations are at work throughout the country. We are only arranging meetings and securing converts, but are seeing that every house is braced to hear on members by their constituents."

The ingenious device by which, under cover of the plea that the matter is a non-party one, an endeavor is to be made to

## PARIS BURIED IN SEA OF PAPER

Chamber of Deputies Refuses to Abate the Handbill Nuisance.

Effort to Be Made to Make the French Capital a Cleaner City.

(Special to THE TRIBUNE by International News Service.)  
(By GEORGE DUFRESNE.)

PARIS, Jan. 20.—The Chamber of Deputies has refused to approve the drastic suppression of advertising prospectuses and handbills proposed by the municipal council. We shall therefore continue to see the Boulevards inundated with millions of multi-colored pieces of paper. These papers are raked up every night after the cafes close, but on the following morning the handbill distributor is again at his post. We find him at every street corner for miles along the boulevards. He wears all sorts of uniforms, from that of old guard to that of a park-keeper. He hands you slips of every size and color, advertising fortune-tellers, corn-healers, biographers, side-shows, palmists, clairvoyants, money lenders, pawn-ticket-brokers, distillers for the races, and the latest butcher's or baker's shop opened in the neighborhood. You have to take his slip of paper, his card, or his handbill. If you do not take it, he throws it at you. It is his business to be obtrusive. He gets fifteen cents an hour for doing it, and the more persistent he is the surer he is of his bread and butter.

These unfortunate distributors are sometimes hired in gangs. They form a regular staff with some printers who have been employing them for years, and who recommend them to their customers. Shops and business concerns apply in preference to printers who can recommend good distributors who will, if necessary, put the slips into men's pockets and into ladies' handbags. Worthy of sympathy as the distributors may be, his work is not appreciated by the general public. By noon the pavement and roadway are already littered with paper, and by evening we find it impossible to walk on anything else. We trample our cornucopia with side-shows under foot. We ignore the names of the most famous dentist and shoemaker, and we kick the slips of the money-lenders into the gutter.

**SEEMS UNBEARABLE**  
The nuisance seemed unbearable to the majority of the municipal council. They drew up a scheme for taxing these handbills so heavily that it would drive them out of existence and clear the boulevards; but, when the matter was presented to the chamber, a number of deputies resisted it coolly. They rushed to the assistance of the slip distributor. Why drive him out of his wretched employment? Why arouse the wrath of the printers, whose trade would suffer? Why, finally, prevent honest people from making their business known in this way if other methods were too expensive?

M. Caillaux, who has just since resigned as Premier, was present at this discussion. He declared that the government took no stand for or against the proposal, and the municipal council's scheme was therefore sent to the committee on the subject. The rejection has exasperated some of the municipal councillors, one of whom has already been interviewed, and he states that the chamber did not understand the noble purpose of the town council, and which was to make Paris a cleaner city, and a prettier city.

Christians, and even travelers, will no doubt agree with this view; but Rome was not built in a day, and our councillors will only have to persevere in order to inscribe on their banner, "Finis coronat opus."

The other day a sort of indignation meeting was held at the Hotel de Ville, at which the town councillors passed a resolution of protest against the deluge of papers in the streets. In conclusion, the resolution "invites the prefecture of police to enforce strictly the order against obstructing the streets, and to take legal steps against the delinquents."

## BIG CATHEDRAL ABOUT TO OPEN

Khartoum Edifice Will Be Consecrated at Very Early Date.

(Special to THE TRIBUNE by International News Service.)

KHARTOUM, Jan. 20.—There is now less than a week left till the opening of the Khartoum Cathedral next Thursday, and the final stages of the work, as far as it will be completed for the consecration, are now in hand. The west end will not be complete, nor will the exterior tiled roof be on.

This will not affect the appearance of the building from the inside looking eastwards, however. The inner roof of brick vaulting between stone arches is finished, and at the west end the front of the gallery closes in the interior half-way up, while above it a piece of temporary brick walling to match the vaulting of the roof is now being run up to close in the upper half. Looking from the east toward the gallery, therefore, will be cut off by this wall. The organ is now arriving in sections and being erected, and also the screen and other furniture.

Arrangements are being made to seat 600 people exclusive of those in the chancel, which will hold more than fifty. As it is expected that those who will wish to be present will be fully this number, all these seats will be reserved for those already specially invited and for those who have applied for them before the day to the church wardens. It seems necessary it will be possible to arrange to fit in a certain number of persons recently decided in a point of interest recently decided in the case of the London Memorial Chapel, which will run as follows:

"Praise God for Charles George Gordon, a Servant of Jesus Christ, Whose Labor Was Not in Vain in the Lord."





## VANDERBILT TO MARCH ON SOCIETY

Alfred Gwynne Will Make Another Attempt to Enter Ranks.

Devotes Himself to Olympia Horse Show and to His Coaching.

(Special to THE TRIBUNE by International News Service.)  
(By CHESTER OVERTON.)

LONDON, Jan. 20.—Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt will again attempt to become a regular "society man" in London. His previous attempt was made several years ago. Then he seemed on the pinnacle of success, when suddenly came his first wife's divorce suit, followed by the death of Mrs. Vanderbilt, who was said to have committed suicide because he no longer loved her. All that meant that so far as the most exclusive folk of London were concerned, Alfred went tumbling into an abyss from which he has not entirely clambered.

It has not seemed to worry him, for a person with so much money is bound to shine in some sort of society, so he has methodically devoted himself to the Olympia horse show and coaching on the the Brighton road as if those were the Alpha and Omega of earthly glories. But the new Mrs. Vanderbilt, formerly Mrs. Margaret Emerson McKim, is said to have caused recrudescence of her husband's social ambition and while Alfred will remain on the Brighton coach, which has become a sort of summer institution, stables and kennels will henceforth play a more minor part in the Vanderbilt ménage. Alfred will continue to be a New Yorker, but he also intends to establish a splendid permanent home in London giving up his flat in Gloucester house, overlooking Piccadilly, which has been the scene of many of his Bohemian entertainments. Since their wedding the pair have passed a quiet honeymoon at The Stream cottage near Box Hill, and plan soon to go to America.

### NEW HOUSE READY.

When they return for the regular summer season, a magnificent new house will be ready for them in Grosvenor Square. Unlimited money will be set aside for a campaign to conquer the exclusives of that neighborhood and Mayfair. Herebefore Alfred has contented himself with merely crossing the Atlantic times annually when important sporting events offered sufficient entertainment. But now his social plans include a gorgeously fitted steam yacht on which he can take parties for a brief swirl at Cowes in the mid-London season, thus breaking the monotony of dinners, balls and other affairs prescribed by court.

In the winter, when the season begins to fall, there are the Riviera, the Mediterranean and Egypt for all of which a yacht is a handy thing to have around. He is now endeavoring to secure a boat that will do for the coming season and when will give an order to build one which it is said will be the finest ever launched. But this is not all. Alfred knows how this game must be played, even if he has been out of training for a while. There is also the autumn shooting season in Scotland, where he and his bride are said to be negotiating for a large preserve in the Highlands, where there is already a fine old castle, all that is needed being new plumbing and a few roof repairs to accommodate the usual size of the fall house party.

### DAINTY CHALET.

Then there is to be a dainty chalet near St. Moritz, where one can exercise in case the fear of overwork brings a desire for winter alpine sports. These with, of course, Lennox and Newport and possibly a few minor alterations, will complete the list of props for Alfred's essay as a society entertainer. Some of his friends wonder if he will not miss his famous four greys on the Brighton road, then being handled by hired whips. Others remembering Mrs. Vanderbilt's social exploits in the old Newport days, believe that the house of Vanderbilt is at last due to lead in popularity in the Anglo-American social continent.

Ambitious Americans who are looking forward to presentation at court during the present season will be alarmed at a proposed modification of the customs of presentation to be made for the purpose of reducing the court list, which shows signs of becoming unwieldy. A somewhat drastic proposal is that the presentation of women of foreign birth, married to British subjects, be restricted to those whose male relatives hold some official or diplomatic position in this country.

This is a direct blow at those Americans who travel to Europe at the beginning of the season with the express purpose of being presented at court. Queen Mary does not view this annual American invasion with favor, and she it was who made the original suggestion for limiting it. King George is also determined that the number of presentations at "any court" shall not exceed 1000, lord chamberlain's office is flooded with Apart from American applications the applicants for presentation, only a small proportion of whom can be successful.

The holding of a fifth or supplementary court is being considered, the final decision being held off until the king's return. It is also proposed to hold court annually in Dublin and Edinburgh respectively, where Scotch and Irish ladies could be presented.

## POLICE FIND MASCOT ON TOP OF TELEGRAPH POLE

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Frightened by dogs, a cat ran to the top of a telegraph pole in Northfield avenue, near Wheeler street, West Orange, N. J., the other night, and there stayed until the following afternoon, when a resident of the neighborhood called up police officers.

"What's doing," was the answer, "not a cat, but a dog." The cat was on the pole.

Then the firemen were asked to rescue the cat.

"Can't do it," Chief Sweeney sent word. "There might be a fire."

Harry Roy, a fireman, decided he would save the cat and he climbed to the top of the pole. The animal bristled back and snarled at him.

"I'm afraid she bites," Roy called down to the crowd that had assembled. But he reached for the cat and he landed on his back.

He tried to throw her off, but with his one free hand was unable to do so. Then he descended. When he reached the pavement he and the cat were such fast friends that the police had to pry paws loose. Roy's back was scratched, but he said he didn't care much. The police will make the cat the mascot of the station.

## Startling Poses and New, of European Celebrities



TWO POSES OF TROUHANOWA, THE GREAT PARISIAN DANCER



MLLE. ELFINE

## Possibilities of Romance In Long Yachting Tour

(Special to THE TRIBUNE by International News Service.)  
(By PAUL PIERRE RIGNAUX.)

PARIS, Jan. 20.—An interesting party of English and American persons full of matrimonial possibilities left Naples yesterday for a yachting tour. Some of them have just passed through Paris, where they purchased essentials and luxuries for a long voyage. Of them the Duke and Duchess of Manchester and Lord Falconer, son of the Earl of Kintore. This is the same Lord Falconer, whose good looks attracted the "ten million dollar widow" before she became Mrs. Philip Van Valkenburg of New York, and who, though his mountains of debts frightened off the former Mrs. William Hay Chapman—I can state upon excellent authority that these debts have no such terror for another well-known American, Mrs. William B. Leeds.

Lord Lascelles and that great traveler, Lady Sarah Wilson, will be valuable members of this fashionable yachting party. Mrs. Leeds will be the hostess. She has chartered the Semiramis from young Lord Anglessea. The yacht belonged originally to Anthony Drexel and was known as the Margherita. The Earl of Kintore has been in Paris betting two to one that his son will capture a rich American widow this time.

### BACK TO NEWPORT.

"We are going to Egypt for the winter and then back to Newport," said Mrs. Peter Martin of San Francisco, to the International News Service correspondent.

Stately and sweet-voiced, Mrs. Martin told of her future plans in order to refute a rumor to the effect that

she had come to Paris to get a divorce. Mrs. Martin, who was formerly a Miss Oelrichs, a sister of Charles Oelrichs and of the late Harman Oelrichs, was direct and emphatic in her denial.

"Why," she said, "my husband is coming over soon by the Olympic, my brother has gone back, my little boy is here, and my mother, Mrs. Havemeyer, found these comfortable apartments for me. So you see we are rather a united family."

Mrs. Martin is living in a gorgeous suite in the Hotel Beausite, formerly occupied by Sir Robert Peel and recently by Governor and Mrs. Sprague of Rhode Island.

### NEWS OF FIRE.

"When you mentioned the International News Service," she said, "I thought you had come to question or inform me about something rare and more terrible than divorce, for it was the terrible fire of Newport, for it was the first news of the San Francisco fire and informed of the destruction of the property. Divorce is so common nowadays that it should cease to be news. At all events we are quiet people and have no intention of increasing the number of irreconcilables. I like to go to Egypt and look into its ancient civilization. Talking about the Pharaohs and Ramesses, the second gives one a learned air and there is a certain enjoyment in rolling off these words trippingly from the tongue. A course of Egyptology is a good preparation for the frivolities of Newport."

### CORPORATIONS COMBINE.

LONDON, Jan. 20.—The long-talked of amalgamation of the electric tubes and railroads of London with the London General Omnibus company finally has been carried through. The properties owned by the companies concerned in the new amalgamation represent a value of \$175,000,000.

## ESCAPE DEATH BY CLOSE MARGIN

Party of Smugglers Dodge the Officers, Steel Rope and Speeding Train.

(Special to THE TRIBUNE by International News Service.)

PARIS, Jan. 20.—A daring feat was accomplished by a band of smugglers on the main road leading from Belgium into Lille, France.

A few days ago the Lille excise officers got wind of a plan to run a large consignment of contraband tobacco in a motor-car. The smugglers' plan was to cross the frontier near Roubaix, and follow the main road to Lille. The captain of the Lille excise station had the leading of the car secretly watched and arranged for word to be sent to him the night the smugglers departed.

A message came then that the dash would be made that night. After dark the captain took thirty excise men and laid an ambush near the smugglers, and a stout steel rope was stretched across the main road. After lying in wait a long time the excise men heard the hum of a car traveling at a great rate of speed through the darkness.

Two officers stood about 100 yards from where the cable was stretched and cried "Halt!" The car stopped, and the driver of the contraband car gave a sharp turn of the wheel to the left and deliberately put the vehicle on to the track of the railway running alongside the road. Although a train was but 100 yards behind him the chauffeur never flinched and the car, after a terrific jolt, crossed the road. Once the ambush was passed the car vanished with its precious load into the night.



MRS. FRANK POWELL

MRS. H.D. MOORE



TWO POSES OF LITTLE Mlle. ELFINE

## With Those Who Have Posed Before Camera

A feature of the great spectacular play at Olympia, in which over 2000 people take part, is the appearance of Mlle. Trouhanowa, the famous actress and dancer, who takes the part of the nun in "The Miracle." Mlle. Trouhanowa's art is of the unconventional order, and her appearance in this production of this great play was hailed with much enthusiasm by critics and playgoers alike. Mlle. Trouhanowa is of Russian birth but has made Paris her home for so long that she may be regarded as a Parisian. She has appeared with enormous success at the Opera Comique and Chatelet, and at the latter house created the wonderful Dance des Sept Volles in Strauss' famous opera, "Salome," when it was first produced in the French capital. Mlle. Trouhanowa has also appeared with much success at the Folies Bergeres, Paris, in her famous dances.

Yapier Kowalski, the wonderful dancer, engagement at the Palace Theater is fast coming to an end.

One of the most phenomenal and versatile of artists, who took the part of the Moorish princess in this year's pantomime, "Dick Whittington," at the Royal Opera House, Middlesborough. Her dancing has been acquired under the personal tuition of Mlle. Trouhanowa, who really wished her to confine herself to dancing only while Mlle. Melba, who had her under her care for singing, is full of praise of her voice and wanted her to relinquish dancing for singing. She also had the advantage of having personal instruction from Mlle. Genoe and Mlle. Kysash, while Mlle. Salary Djell has taught her the Oriental art of dancing. Mlle. Elfine is certain to reap a great success in her appearance as the Moorish princess.

Mrs. H. D. Moore's marriage to Captain H. D. Moore, 130th King George's Own Baluchis, took place on the 3d of the month at St. Mark's, South Farnborough.

Mrs. Frank Powell, the daughter of the late Major N. C. James, 16th Lancers, whose marriage to Frank Powell, the son of Evan Powell of Mapperley Hill, Notts, took place on January 18.

## Crown Prince Is Again "Ragged" by the Kaiser

(Special to THE TRIBUNE by International News Service.)  
(By COUNT VON ELPHBERG)

BERLIN, Jan. 20.—The arrest of two New Yorkers, Mrs. Violet Scott and Mrs. Edith Horner, on remarkable charges of fraud and quackery has disclosed the fact that for some considerable time these two women, claiming to be in direct communication with the unseen world, have been amassing profits of \$50,000 a year, their victims being foolish enough to believe messages to and from relatives and were handsomely remunerated for attending sick persons for whom they pretended to secure aid from the spirit world. Over 1000 victims have been found to testify against them at their trial which will take place in March.

The German crown prince's impetuosity has again increased his imperial father's anxiety to curb him. A further dose of chastisement has been administered to the royal delinquent. On his recent visit to Berlin, his first appearance since his appearance in the German legislature, he dashed through the German park in the center of Berlin on two skis drawn by the fastest horses in his stable. He wore a woollen cap, jersey, breeches and gaiters, and his career through the crowded park caused consternation to many pedestrians and brought shrieks of terror from dozens of little children playing in the snow.

### TAKES ANOTHER STEP.

Another step from the path of strict propriety was taken when he delivered a statement to the press that his be-

## MRS. S. FRENCH HAUNTS THE COURT

Presentation at Berlin Winds Up Record for Europe.

Most of Continent's Capitals Included in Those She Has Entered.

(Special to THE TRIBUNE by International News Service.)  
(By MARQUIS DE CASTELLANE.)

PARIS, Jan. 20.—This year makes Mrs. Seth Barton French of Paris, one of the most courted women. Mrs. French, widow of J. Pierpont Morgan's late partner, daughter of Judge and Mrs. Walker Fearn, now Mrs. Arthur Inkersley and alleged fiancée of J. J. Van Alan, attended the Berlin court circles with grace and a court mantle covered with cloth of gold. Mrs. French had already been presented at the courts of Italy, Greece, Roumania, Serbia and Russia.

Many Pan-Americans participated in the "parade court" of the emperor and empress—a march past where the subjects are subject to the critical eye of the court and its guests—among them being Countess Louise de Gontaut, Blron, Miss Nancy Leishman and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Leishman. These were supported by Miss Gladys Waterbury, daughter of John J. Waterbury of Morrisstown, New Jersey; Mrs. Devereaux of Cleveland; Mrs. Henry Wood of Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. Price Collier of New York and the Baroness von Schlotheim, a daughter of the late General and Mrs. Clinton Faine of Baltimore.

### COLLEGE LIFE REPRESENTED.

American university life was represented by the presentation of Mrs. Wood, wife of this year's exchange professor. New American officials, such as second secretary William Spencer of Philadelphia and Captain Niblack, naval attaché, were presented as a matter of course. Lady Robert Haffield, sister of United States Attorney General Wickersham, being an English subject, was presented by the British ambassador.

In order to qualify for the presentation, Ambassador and Mrs. Leishman were presented at the oral reception on the 18th. The presentation of Mrs. Leishman to the empress took place six days before. Etiquette demanded this before she could present her long list of Americans.

The German court is pleased because the Leishmans have completely severed their connection with Paris.

The Hon. Lady Plunkett, a distinguished Paris American has started the new amusement of heading a raspberry picking party in winter near Lausanne. Lady Plunkett is a daughter of the late Charles W. Morgan of Philadelphia and widow of Francis Plunkett, formerly British minister to Belgium, Sweden and Japan.

### RASPBERRY PARTY.

The season is much Lausanne that Lady Plunkett organized a party of Americans who scoured the countryside for raspberries. It is a unique amusement in midwinter. Lady Plunkett was assisted in her raspberry party by her two daughters, Countess Gyldenstolpe, wife of the Swedish minister to Paris and Miss Plunkett.

Other Americans in the party were Mr. and Mrs. Franklin T. Smith of Chicago; Mrs. George Smith of Kansas City; Mrs. J. Brooks of Philadelphia; Mrs. E. Sinclair of Nashville and R. W. Knox of New York.

Young Count von Rath of Frankfurt, will be sent over next fall to strengthen the staff of the German embassy at Washington. He is a great friend of the Dreyfus, especially of Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Dreyfus Jr. He is tall, good looking, unmarried, has the usual air of the student on his face and rides well. During a recent visit to Paris he was known to have paid particular attention to Miss Patricia Burke, daughter of John Humphrey Burke of Los Angeles but the king of Spain's cousin, Prince Ferdinand, cut out the young German.

## CHAUFFEURS ARE STILL OBDDURATE

London Drivers Maintain Their Stand and Owners Go Bankrupt.

(Special to THE TRIBUNE by International News Service.)

LONDON, Jan. 20.—The chauffeurs' strike, which began over a month ago, is still continuing. The companies have made a determined stand and six or seven small owners have gone bankrupt. The strikers, on the other hand, have also determined to stick by their colors—that is to say, their demands—and, as there is talk that some companies are training new-comers and non-union men from the provinces, riotous scenes may be witnessed. The strikers today turned out in great numbers, and stood guard round some of the principal establishments. They were resolved not to let any non-union men drive. In view of the danger, none of the recalcitrant companies sent out cars. A considerable number of taxis, nevertheless, may be seen in the streets; but they are the cars mostly of small owners, who have yielded to the strikers, or are cars belonging to individual chauffeurs.

The strikers seem to have a fairly large amount of funds on hand still, and they are getting contributions from the men who are working, but such a state of things cannot last forever, and trouble may come any moment. Meanwhile, Paris without taxis is rather a novelty, and the traffic in the streets is more encumbered than ever.

The moral seems to be that the fewer motor-cars are out the more entangled the traffic becomes. Horses are again pressed into service, and it is as if they had lost the habit of trotting in their old-fashioned never touch the narrow roads, and sprawling about on the broad boulevards to rise an instant later and stand as if nothing had happened.

The chauffeurs' strike is giving us back much of the old picturesqueness of Paris, but many of us would like to see a little less of it. We long for the driving, rock- less motor once more, though it does sometimes leave a trail of smoke behind it, and knocks us down when we least think of it. Still, it moves, whereas the old-fashioned horse seems to have lost that quality.

## REICHSTAG ELECTIONS ARE BEING HELD TODAY

BERLIN, Jan. 20.—Seventy-seven Reichstag elections are being held today in re-balls. Socialists are participating in more than fifty of these, the national Liberals in thirty-two; the Conservatives in twenty-two; the Radicals in twenty and the Centrists in fifteen.







# :::Dictionary-Making Is Difficult Job, But It Has Its Humor:::

**L**ONDON. — Of a certain old woman it is reported that she said she liked reading her dictionary, as there were "such a lot of nice short stories in it." The average person, however, does not pursue the dictionary for the purpose of entertainment, but for light upon the particular meaning of some word, or, perhaps, for information on a point of etymology.

Nevertheless, there is no little amusement to be found in the definitions of various of our lexicographers, some instances arising from inadequate knowledge of the subject dealt with, and others being due to the exuberant wit of the dictionary-maker. Thus Dr. Johnson, when several years in arrears with his production, could not refrain from seeing the humorous side of his work, and accordingly defined "Lexicographer" as "a writer of dictionaries, a harmless drudge, that bustles himself in tracing the original and detailing the signification of words."

**JOHNSON'S BLUNDERS.**  
Johnson was the first to produce a dictionary in which illustrative quotations from standard authors were given. The immense work now being published by the Oxford University Press is the consummation of this idea, for not only every word, but every sense, is illustrated by copious extracts in chronological order. As this feature multiplies the possibilities of error, great care is necessary to avoid misquoting the quotations. Richard Johnson fell into such mistakes. Thus, after defining the word "Snail" as "any creeping, slow, or sluggish thing," he illustrated the word with a quotation (among others), from Beaumont and Fletcher's "Wit at Several Weathers," in which Pompey says: "Snails, I'm almost starved with love, and cold." But the word is really "snails," a euphemistic shortening of "snails' nalls." Citing Mortimer as his authority, Johnson himself committed an egregious blunder in defining the second sense of "Snail" as "anything internally cooling; a delicate wine and a durable refrigerator." But Mortimer's actual words run thus: "It will be a delicate, palatable, rich wine, and in a refrigerator very durable."

From this and other misquotations in his dictionary it appears that Johnson frequently quoted extracts from memory. To illustrate the verb "Sic" he inserted a passage from the Book of Judges, which reads: "Ye that ride on white asses, ye that sit in judgment." Johnson, however, printed the verse thus: "Asses are ye that sit in judgment." But may not this have been a very hit at the judicial authorities of the time?

**"IGNORANCE, MADAM."**  
But errors in lexicography form a feature not altogether new. In an Early English vocabulary written about the year 1050, the compiler made the entry: "Bignamus, i. e., ur unus mulieris." This humorous mistake must have been committed by the inmates of a lunatic asylum. Certainly none but a person long a recluse could imagine that a bignamus was a man who had only one wife. In his "New World of Words" (1871), Phillips commits errors which are obvious even to a schoolboy. He defines "Gallon," for example, as "a Measure containing two quarts." Certainly "quaver," the staccato, is a measure of time in music, being the half of a Crotchet, as a Crotchet [is] the half of a Quaver." Thus he makes out that the quaver is a quarter of itself.

Despite his erudition, Dr. Johnson was capable of similar errors. He defined "Leeward" as "Windward," terms of precisely opposite signification, in the same words: "Towards the wind." "Pastern" he gives as "the knee of a horse" (instead of "the part of a horse's foot between the fetlock and the hoof"). In the explanation of hearing him make an ingenious defense, a lady once asked him how he came to define the word so; but the blunt lexicographer unhesitatingly answered, "Ignorance, madam, pure ignorance."

It is unfortunate that some of Johnson's definitions are distorted by national as well as personal prejudices. Despite the fact that five of his six assistants were Scotchmen, he superciliously defines "Oats" as "a grain, which in England is generally given to horses, but in Scotland supports the people." "Grog," he states, is "a term of law, used by commodities and adjudged, not by the common judges of property, but wretches to whom excise is paid."

**FOR LITERARY MERIT.**  
The authorities deemed these severe terms actionable; but it was thought advisable not to take proceedings. His definitions of "Pension" and "Pensioner" were equally offensive. The former he gives as "an allowance made to anyone without an equivalent." In England it is generally understood to mean a pension paid to a State hireling for treason to his country. Of the latter word he provides two meanings: (1) "One who is supported by an allowance paid at the will of another; a dependant"; and (2) "A slave of State hired by a stipend to obey his master." Combining these meanings, he says that it had been decided to offer him a yearly pension of 300 pounds, he was embarrassed, as his acceptance of it would seem to place him under the stigma of his own definitions.

He therefore spoke of consulting his friends, to see if the receipt of a pension should be thought inconsistent with his recorded statements. But Reynolds informed the lexicographer that the definitions did not apply to him, the pension being awarded by the King for literary merit alone. This was happily expressed by Sir Isaac Newton, when, in the dinner in which Johnson's dilemma came about, will always give occasion for quiet mirth.

## THE MULE AND THE MAN

The mule—he is a gentle beast,  
And so is man.  
He's satisfied to be the least;  
And so is man.  
Like man, he may be taught some tricks;  
He does his work from 5 to 6;  
The mule—when he gets mad, he kicks;  
And so does man.  
The mule—he has a head to pull;  
And so has man.  
He's happiest when he's full;  
And so is man.  
Like man, he holds a patient pose,  
And when his work's done will rejoice.  
The mule—he likes to hear his voice;  
And so does man.  
The mule—He has his faults, 'tis true;  
And so has man.  
He does some things he should not do;  
And so does man.  
Like man, he doesn't yearn for style,  
But wants contentment all the while.  
The mule—he has a lovely smile;  
And so has man.  
The mule is sometimes kind and good;  
And so is man.  
He eats all kinds of breakfast food;  
And so does man.  
Like man, he balks at candy dress  
And at outlandish foolishness;  
The mule's accused of mulishness;  
And so is man.  
—Missouri Ruralist.

## Wedding of Widow and Millionaire Is a Surprise



MRS. L. H. ARNOLD, Jr., who was the widow of Nathaniel F. Moore, son of a Chicago millionaire.

**CHICAGO.** — The marriage ten days ago of Mrs. Nathaniel F. Moore, the young widow of the son of J. Hobart Moore, the Chicago millionaire and president of the Rock Island railroad, to L. H. Arnold, Jr., came as a great surprise to their intimate friends, as well as to society in general.

## THE NITRATE WORKINGS OF CHILE

**CHICAGO.** — We Americans point with becoming pride to our great western prairies of rolling wheat lands and luxuriant tracts of alfalfa and orchard country, but I think that but few of us know how the workings of northern Chile, rural England, famed for its agriculture, also is indebted because it was one of her subjects who first discovered the wonders of nitrate, or saltpeter, as a fertilizer. It is to George Smith, a Scotchman, that the republic of Chile is indebted for the discovery that has brought to enormous wealth in its extensive nitrate industry. Smith at the time of his discovery was living in the village of Pica, near where the city of Iquique now stands, diligently occupied in cultivating a small garden of fruit and flowers.

One day he observed that the trees and plants that were banked up with a soil containing a strange white substance flourished more than others. Being of an inquiring disposition, Smith's observation led him to make numerous experiments with such success that his brother-in-law, who was in the canned fruit business, took a few bags of the white substance to England. There he gave it to the farmers from whom he bought his fruit that they might test its powers in their orchards. This was the first nitrate sent abroad, and its fame as a fertilizer gave impetus to an industry that has grown by leaps and bounds.

**SALTPETER LONG KNOWN.**  
And what is it? Simply sodium nitrate, known to the ancients as "saltpetre," and known to chemists before Smith's discovery, and had been used in large amounts for the manufacture of black powder and gunpowder, but now in addition it is the most extensive fertilizer used. The product as shipped is about 90 per cent pure, but it passes through several processes before ready for shipment.

The crude material, known in Chile as "caliche," is a subsoil varying from a few inches to several feet in thickness. It is a crystalline mass containing a mixture of sodium nitrate, sodium chloride, and various potassium salts, but the caliche that is commercially workable usually carries from 15 to 25 per cent of sodium nitrate. Chilean laborers mine the caliche by contract, the usual proceedings being to drill a hole about six inches in diameter, to a depth of from 10 to 20 feet, and then loosen or shake up a certain area with a charge of black blasting powder that is manufactured on the ground. The contractors soon become proficient in selecting only that grade of caliche demanded, the discard being left behind in heaps with which the pampas are dotted today.

The selected caliche is loaded into small steel dump cars and drawn by narrow gauge engines to the works, where it is dumped upon the crusher floor. Here it is fed to huge oscillating jaw crushers, which break the material to about the size of man's fist. From the crushers the product is raised either in cars or by means of endless conveyor belts to the tank floor, where it is dumped into large steel tanks having a capacity of 70 tons each.

These tanks are lined with steam pipes, and when a tank has been filled with crushed caliche water is turned in upon the mass and steam is sent through the pipes until the solution boils violently. After about four hours of boiling the solution, which is now partially saturated with dissolved sodium nitrate, is drawn off and the process repeated with water less rich with nitrate until the maximum amount of saltpeter has been extracted.

**A PRECAUTION.**  
Mrs. Flint (soberly)—Do you ever drink intoxicants?  
Sofied Spooner (at the door)—Before replying, madam, permit me to ask if that is an invitation or merely an inquiry?  
—Puck.

## Brooks Sweeps the Sky in Search of Comets

Different forms of sport attract different tastes, but the one that has claimed the devotion of W. R. Brooks of Geneva, New York, U. S. A., has been the hunt after comets. It is a sport demanding very special qualities of mind and body; a keen eyesight and limitless patience first of all; after these an accurate and inexhaustible memory is a most important factor. Its charm lies partly in the possession of these high faculties and in their exercise to the full; partly in the character of the field in which the quarry is being sought—the starry heavens—and not least in the element of chance governing the success of the search. For nearly thirty years Mr. Brooks has given the hours that other men give to sleep to the most thorough scrutiny of the night sky, and on the average, one year with another, one discovery has rewarded his industry every year. In a few cases some other observer has divided the honor with him, or even forestalled him by two or three hours; but on July 20 last he recorded the twenty-third discovery that stands in his name alone.

**ATHLETIC GIRL TEACHER**  
**WHALES NINE BIG BOYS**  
PITTSBURGH, Pa. — Just because she "enforced discipline" and thrashed nine husky boy scholars in a grand melee, Miss Roberta Atkinson may lose her place in the Sandy Creek school, near here. Several angry farmers have asked the Penn township school board to dismiss the pretty and athletic teacher for whipping their sons.

She has been offered already several positions at a high salary in localities where the schoolboys need "physical training."

Miss Roberta has not been long at Sandy Creek. The oldest of her scholars, taller and stronger than she is, determined to do as they dared, pleased. She was kind and patient until Saturday. Then the bully of the school was extremely impertinent. He wears cowhide boots and homespun clothes and is big enough to work at piano-moving.

Smiling, Miss Roberta moved swiftly toward him. "Swish," "Swish," "Swish," she rattan whistled down on his legs; he was too surprised to move before he had received half a dozen strokes of the rattan. He tried to seize it, to grapple Miss Roberta; wielding her rattan dextrously, she kept him at its length, rapping him on his calves, his knuckles, anywhere.

At first his eight classmates grinned to see the bully "getting his." Then, in answer to his howls for help, they rushed Miss Roberta. Intrenched behind a desk Samson smote the Philistines. There was hitting in the clinches and catch-as-catch-can wrestling, but after about three minutes of furious combat the brave Miss Roberta remained mistress of the field.

**PICKED UP SEVERED ARM**  
**AND DASHES FOR HOSPITAL**  
ST. LOUIS. — James Andrews, a negro, from Hannibal, Mo., fell from an M. K. & T. freight train in the Carle avenue yards Tuesday night. The train passed over his right arm, severing it near the shoulder.

Anderson picked up the arm and ran with it two blocks to Broadway, where he fell exhausted. Citizens summoned an ambulance and he was taken to the city hospital. He is 19 years old.

## Bucknam's Next Move Is Awaited by Washington



R. N. BUCKNAM, Pasha, who held the rank of rear admiral in the Turkish navy, but has resigned command.

**WASHINGTON.** — Rear-Admiral Ransford D. Bucknam, who was expected to be a central figure should the Turkish navy get into conflict with the Italian fleet, is said to have resigned his command because he was asked to become a citizen of Turkey. Although the report has not been confirmed, it is said that Rear Admiral Bucknam has left Turkey, preferring to remain a citizen of the United States.

In 1901 Bucknam left the Cramp shipyard in Philadelphia for the purpose of navigating the new cruiser, *Majada*, to Turkey and deliver her safe in the hands of the Turkish government.

**Hopes to Cross the Atlantic in Balloon**  
Still strong in his faith in the dirigible balloon the possibility of crossing the Atlantic in a properly constructed lighter-than-air craft, Melvin Vaniman, chief engineer of the American, which made a brave attempt to accomplish the feat a year ago, is now assembling a larger airship at Atlantic City, expecting to start for Europe by the air route some time in October.

He believes that by applying the knowledge gained from the experiences of the America, and a new means of compensating for the added lifting power of the gas when exposed to the heat of the sun, he will be able to make his way through the storms of the Atlantic and the uncertainties of the air lanes.

Just what this new means of compensating consists of has not been made public. The famous "equilibrium" of last year's airship will be missing. Two methods have been discussed by Vaniman and his assistants and advisers, but these may be discarded at the last moment and another method adopted. One was to pump water into tanks in the airship by means of a long hose; the other to pull up water in a string of buckets something like the plan adopted by Brucker, the German-American who planned to attempt to cross the Atlantic in the *Suehard*, a large dirigible. Up to September 1, however, the plans of the builders in this connection were withheld. At that time Vaniman stated:

"I am not at liberty to disclose this method. There will be no equilibrium, however. This phase of the airship is being kept secret, as it now seems to be the only problem which has not been solved. There are no water buckets and no special tanks for water in the airship."

As a result of the experiences of last year, when the absence of a fly wheel on the after engine put it out of commission and deprived the aeronauts of the lifting thrust of the after propellers, close attention has been paid to this feature of the Akron, as the new craft will be christened. There will be four engines, two of 100 horse power each, one of 80 horse power, and one of 15 horse power, the first three for the three sets of propellers, and the latter for lifting purposes and for running the dynamo which will furnish electricity for the wireless apparatus. Two of these engines will be of American manufacture and two of foreign make. At least one pair of propellers will be mounted so that the thrust can be secured in any direction.

In almost every detail of the "Akron" there will be improvements suggested by the experience of the *Wellman* expedition. One of the most important changes will be in the manner of suspending the motor lifeboat under the inclosed frame. Last year the boat was almost swamped when it was launched, owing to the fact that the airship, in descending to the water, came down with a side movement, launching the little boat broadside.

This was due to the method of suspending the lifeboat by a single fall and tackle, enabling the crew to launch the boat bow on in spite of any broadside movement of the balloon. The position of the vertical rudder will be the same. The principal horizontal rudders, governing the ascent and descent, will consist of a pair of triplanes attached to the frame well toward the bow. There will be three auxiliary horizontal rudders at the rear.

## Stewart Island Where the Mutton Bird Lives

There are some virgin spaces in the world yet. There is Stewart Island, for example in the South Pacific, south of New Zealand, although only fifteen miles from the mainland its rocky promontories and stupendous headlands are still the haunt of primitive nature. Only the boom of the southern surf and the cry of the wheeling sea birds. That is all for eleven months of the year. In the last portion of that virgin solitude is ruthlessly disturbed. The quiet coves and shelving beaches of the island become a shambles running with innocent blood while the master butcher, conducts an orgy of slaughter.

For Stewart Island and the group of rocky land specks that surround it are the home of that marvelous migrant, the sooty or short-tailed petrel, a brownish-black bird about the size of a wood pigeon, scientifically classed as *Puffinus pacificus*, but popularly known throughout Australia as the mutton bird, because of its faint resemblance between its cooked flesh and mutton.

At certain times of the year your mutton birds are sold in large quantities throughout Australia and New Zealand, for they are esteemed a delicacy by many people, which accounts for the annual slaughter. The capture and preparation of the young birds for market form the staple industry of the southern Maoris in the season.

**BIRD IS MIGRANT.**  
The mutton bird is, says Arthur J. Rees in the London Evening Standard, a migrant, but the Stewart Island group is its breeding home, and thither it comes every season to lay its eggs, hatch its young and remain till the young birds are able to fly away to the north with the parent birds, those which do not fall victims to the organized savagery of the brown barbarians. It is a wonderful sight to see the cloud of birds making for Stewart Island for the nesting season.

They come almost as together as hundreds of thousands darkening the skies for several successive days, the blind homing instinct superior to memories of human beings and with a great deal more industry than many human beings employ. The first thing they do is to clean out the old nests, which are holes in the ground arranged in symmetrical fashion and covering miles of ground. Holes that have been filled up are excavated again, and the birds are ended into a new ground by side channels. Thus a single opening to a nest may have three or four side passages.

The depth of the soil overlying the rock; but they are never very deep, since their direction is horizontal and tortuous after the birds have burrowed a few inches below the surface of the soil.

**HOMING INSTINCT.**  
So wonderfully is the homing instinct developed in the mutton bird that a pair of birds rear their young in the same nest year after year. Identical markings on young birds reared in the same nest during the last season have proved this remarkable fact.

When the nests are cleared out the renovated homes are lined with leaves, dried grass, and other material, which is done by both male and female, the birds go without food. Then they stock up with food, and on November 25, when the laying of eggs commences. The remarkable regularity which characterizes the mutton bird in all its actions during the breeding season is now again strikingly manifested.

The female birds all lay on or about the same day and at the same time. Some of the mutton bird catchers actually assert that all the birds lay exactly on the same day, but such unanimity seems hardly possible. It is probable, however, that the laying season is compressed within the limits of two or three days at the most, for the belated birds that arrive at Stewart Island after the laying season has started invariably drop their eggs into the sea.

Each hen bird lays one large white egg, which is incubated for about four weeks. At first the young bird is a mere ball of down and is helpless. It remains in the nest all about the beginning of April, by which time it is enormously fat.

**STOPS FEEDING YOUNG.**  
The old bird stops feeding the young bird about the middle of April, and the young bird, which has been reared by hunger in search of food, to offer itself a helpless sacrifice to its Maori destroyer. For it leaves the nest quite unable to fly and drops dead. It is at this stage of its existence that the young mutton birds are caught for the Maori market, for though the birds are in the nest and are helpless, the Maori who sail them and send them to their friends as a rare delicacy, they are mutton birds, and the Maori market is a slaughter, which commences some weeks before this. The islands known as mutton bird islands are claimed by different Maori families, who during the season or so they wing their way strongly northward in the wake of their parents, those which have escaped the great annual slaughter, which commences some weeks before this.

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**BATHING IN GOLD**  
A Parisian journalist who had speculated in railway shares won 200,000 francs as the result of a lucky venture. Drawing it is gold, he proceeded to a hotel, emptied the bags of gold in the bed, and went to sleep literally in the sands of Paeotoma. The man was so crazed by his good fortune that he found indescribable pleasure in revealing in a golden bath.

Paganini, the violinist, when he received the proceeds of his concert (he insisted upon being paid in gold), used to wash his hands in sovereigns.  
A French novelist, Soulie, wrote a book called "The Memoirs of the Devil." It was successful; the publishers paid him for the first volume \$10,000 in gold. The author carried the gold to his bedroom, poured it into a foot bath, and endured for half an hour the excitement of moving his feet to and fro in a bath of gold coins, smoking meanwhile the biggest of Havana cigars.  
A Chicago merchant of great wealth, believing certain symptoms indicated that he would become insane, consulted a specialist and under his advice became an inmate of a private asylum. For twelve years there his recreation was piling up gold coins and then knocking them over. At times he washed his hands in gold eagles and his feet in a bath of gold coins. He was returned to his business, and in twelve months he continued the thoroughness of his recovery by amassing \$300,000.





### Society Seeks Unique in Planning for Its Affairs, Writes Suzette

**A**LL social entertainments nowadays to be truly interesting must have something unusual or unique in their development. It is only the very commonplace woman who is quite content with imitating others, in reproducing what has been the result of other active minds. If wants a different menu from that which she has seen at her neighbor's, a luncheon is planned the hostess or at a reception she wants different decorations, and for her bridge afternoons she would like to plan prizes different from any that she has seen. It is very easy to copy, but disastrous for a young matron who would like to be considered a brilliant hostess.

And so because it is a unique, daring and original scheme, the great topic of conversation in the smart set centers around Mrs. Templeton Crocker's Oriental ball. One hears that its magnificence will astonish society in what bids fair to be an occasion memorable in the social annals of the year.

Mrs. Crocker has been everywhere in San Francisco among the Oriental shops for East Indian hangings and brasses, for she means to make the environment a very superb picture of the most wonderful Oriental luxury. What superb things Mrs. Frank Havens or Mrs. Hearst could lend her in the way of gorgeous Oriental treasures.

Men do not care for the usual fancy dress ball; they feel rather foolish trying to live up to some character of the long ago. And as a rule, their embarrassment keeps them from ever very faithfully portraying any character in history. But with women it is different. Dear to their hearts is the fancy dress ball. Then can they become some envied woman of the long ago. And so we find libraries ransacked, old books looked over for the historical characters incident to Oriental lore.

There are wonderful characters from which to choose—Pharaoh's daughter, Queen Esther, Rebecca at the well, Ruth, Naomi, the wonderful women of Syrian and Chaldean history, the Egyptian women, all the way from Hatshe to Cleopatra, the sorceress of the Nile. There are Persian women, East Indian women, princesses famous in song and story—anyone of whom would make a startling picture, full of Oriental coloring. The possibilities in Mrs. Crocker's ball are simply tremendous, and

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MISS IRENE SABIN of San Francisco, who has a wide friendship circle here.

It is no wonder a wave of expectation ripples through the social world.

The things which are unique, original, full of daring color, or of a certain magnificence, are the things that linger long in one's memory. The largest affairs have, of course, been given by Mrs. Hearst, who has had often in Hearst Hall many hundred people at a reception. And she has had opera stars to contribute to the program. At the Hacienda Mrs. Hearst gave an Egyptian dinner to 200, the guests coming down to the Hacienda in a special train. The dinner was served in the patio and was exceedingly original, and charming Egyptian favors were planned for the guests. The dinner was in honor of Professor Reinsner, the famous Egyptian explorer.

### FOURTH OF JULY BARBECUES ORIGINAL

Among the most original of the Hacienda entertainments are the Fourth of July "barbecues," which Mrs. Hearst gives in her picnic ground high up on the Pleasant hills. Tables are spread under the great oaks, and the barbecue is planned along the most approved Spanish lines.

Mrs. Miller Graham of Santa Barbara is another hostess whose unique entertainments brought her from abroad, and she has become one of the best-known Americans in London and Paris. One hears much of the unique barbecue she gave recently in Santa Barbara, her guests of honor being the Misses Marian Newhall and Virginia Jolliffe and Mr. Hope Vere, who is a very prominent clubman of London. The barbecue was given at the Potter Country Club ranch and the details were perfectly planned along Spanish lines. Of course Spanish dishes were on the menu, and equally, of course, they were prepared by a Spanish chef. There were Spanish waiters, a Spanish orchestra and Spanish dancers. And the latter were in the vivid Spanish costumes, which are so delightfully picturesque.

The visitor from London will have an interesting story to tell his English friends when he returns of a wonderful outdoor picnic in the midst of winter, given amid blossoming plans and under blue California skies. Mrs. Frank Havens' entertainments go down in the social history of Oakland as the most unique given on this side of the bay. The ball at the Claremont Club, with the brilliant program following the elaborate supper, will long be remembered for the jollity of the occasion and the feeling of good comradeship engendered. The elaborate at home of last year will be long remembered, as it gave many friends an opportunity to visit one of the most artistic homes in the land, and Ruth St. Denis gave some of her extraordinary dances,

with a superb East Indian setting. Mrs. Rosenfeld's luncheons have carried out the forest idea, and in the heart of a great city very notable pictures have been evolved.

Besides Mrs. Templeton Crocker's ball there is to be the "Mardi Gras" this year, in which Mrs. Whitelaw Reid is planning to take great interest. The invitation list is very comprehensive, as it ought to be for a "Mardi Gras" ball, and already one hears of many parties being organized for the unique affair, and many prominent people from this side of the bay are to be in attendance.

### WORKS FOR MONTHS ON THE DETAILS

In the line of unique entertainments on this coast Mrs. Templeton Crocker's Oriental ball bids fair to carry off the palm. It is not an event planned in a short time, but it is a ball the details of which Mrs. Crocker has worked over for months. The success of an Oriental dance depends altogether on the historical accuracy of the details, and on the details, and on a sort of wonderful color scheme, brilliant, dazzling—on that color scheme which is the racial inheritance of the people of the Far East.

Nothing is sacred from the news gatherer of today, and he has promptly called the Oriental ball, gorgeous in its splendor, "the pantalon ball," and after all, that is not true. For it isn't the "pantalon" that will be worn, but "trousers"—"Turkish trousers"—the trousers of the women of the harem.

One may wear a "Yashmak," as do the Egyptian and Turkish women, but it is good news that masks are not to be worn. They are most disfiguring, spoiling a beautiful costume, and the most uncomfortable things possible.

Secrets cannot be kept in these days and one can imagine how full of wrath Mrs. Crocker must be that now everyone knows she is to go to her ball as "Scheherazade," the beautiful storyteller of the "Arabian Nights."

What a wonderful heroine she was, to be sure, saving her own life and that of thousands of others by the wonderful stories she told the sultan. In all Far Eastern literature there is no lovelier character than beautiful Scheherazade. It is quite as well for others to know that this is Mrs. Crocker's character, because there ought to be only one Scheherazade at the ball, just as there ought to be only one Queen of Sheba, only one Cleopatra, only one Salome, only one Badroulboudon. Mrs. Walker, who was beautiful Mary Keeney, is to be the latter, and she is to be all in yellow, except for the trousers, which are to be of pale shimmering pink.

Mrs. Frederick Kohl, who is a beautiful blonde, is to be the Queen

of Sheba, and surely that Sheba of long ago, who visited King Solomon, could not have been more attractive. Mrs. Kohl has a wonderful gown, of yellow brocade, completely studded with gems, and to prove that she is a queen she is to wear a crown of high aigrettes, each aigrette sparkling with jewels.

The Scheherazade costume was made in Paris and is perfectly wonderful in its magnificent color scheme, and Mrs. Irwin's gown was also made there, and she is planning to wear all her superb diamonds, which make one of the most magnificent collections of gowns on the coast.

Miss Jennie Crocker is to be in green, in the pastel shades of green and pink that are so charming, and the color tones of the costume will enable her to wear her gorgeous emeralds, which represent a fine collection of precious stones.

It will be play time at the Oriental ball. One wonders what the women of the real harems would think if they could look in upon their sisters of the Far West, endowed with liberty, with freedom, playing at bondage, playing they had thrown their free life aside, and were dwellers of the Far East—magnificent creatures of the harem of the "Arabian Nights."

### DIFFERENCE EXISTS BETWEEN SMART AFFAIRS

There is a great deal of difference between the Cinderella and the Bachelors' and Benedicts' ball. The patronesses of the Cinderella dance each contribute \$250, and in return they are allowed to invite a certain number of guests. It is a private ball and if one is not asked it does not follow that one does not belong to the smart set. It is simply that one does not happen to know the patronesses for that year.

With the Bachelors' and Benedicts' ball it is different. The guests themselves pay the expenses. The more guests there are the greater are the expenses and the more money there is to pay them. "Bachelors and Benedicts" sounds beautifully alliterative, but nobody ever goes to the trouble to say it often. The affairs are known as the "Greenway Dances," and here, indeed, one expects to find the smart set fully represented. The mothers of the beautiful young debutantes of today were themselves presented at a Greenway ball, so the Greenway dances are social institutions and it is wonderful what good feeling always seems to surround them. There never seems to be heart burnings over the list, or if there is the burnings are nursed in secret, in the silence of the night.

It is the great fun now to give dinners preceding the dances, and cards are sent out for these dinners far ahead. For one thing, the dinner hos-

MRS. HARRY BISHOP of this city, who gave one of the prettiest card parties of the week.

tess has her card filled before she goes to the dance and the men at the dinner are expected to dance for the most part with the young girls whom they meet there. The young people have dinner together, go on to the dance together and supper partners are arranged from the dinner company, so the young people make up a special coterie for the eventful evening. This is true of our own Friday Night and Junior Assembly dances.

Sometimes a young man has been known to wander to other coteries, much to the wrath of his young hostess, for in accepting her invitation he knows full well what is expected of him for the evening.

On Friday night there were several large dinners, among the well-known hostesses being Mrs. Andrew Welch and Mrs. Talbot Walker.

A feature of the Greenway dances that ought to be copied on this side of the bay are the bridge tables for the chaperons. The latter buy their tickets just as other guests do, and while their young daughters are dancing they also have a delightful evening at bridge or auction. At the Home Club there is plenty of provision for this, for supper can be served in the gallery, and in the smaller rooms the bridge tables may be prepared.

Mr. Greenway is very resourceful in decoration and he has followed the trend of thought today in making the entourage at the dance wonderfully interesting. In the center of the room was an immense wreath of gorgeous yellow oranges and green leaves, from which swung great yellow and black lanterns, and the ceiling was festooned with a wealth of green tulle and the design of the great centerpiece was repeated in various motifs on the wall. It presented a brilliant and most gorgeous color scheme.

### WEEK-END PARTIES BECOME POPULAR

"Week-end parties" are no longer confined to summer days. With so many bright members of the smart set spending the winter in country homes week-end parties are more needed than ever.

One might write a volume about them, but perhaps the story is best told in a few words by a recent well-known writer:

"Have you ever attended a week-end house party for young people at a home of the really rich? If so you cannot fail to have been impressed by the hum of vitality, the whirl of excitement and the complete lack of opportunity for the spiritual restfulness which former generations have sought in the presence of nature. Instead of sauntering two by two, lover-like couples wooing the seclusion of the wood paths and lanes, youthful society today travels in bunches, ever eager to be on the move, to be transported swiftly from one form of exercise to another until the body becomes pleasantly wearied, then fed gastronomically, and, lest some one be bored, enlivened with expensive social novelties by prodigal hosts bent on pleasing. In the language of its vernacular there must be something "doing" all the time; which means a succession of open-air sports until

dark, followed by a gay dinner dance which may or may not compete in lateness with those of the city and prolongs to the last gasp the program of rush and tension with which the day began."

Among the most fascinating week-end hostesses are Mrs. Andrew Welch, Miss Jennie Crocker and Mrs. Miller Graham of Santa Barbara.

Mrs. Graham has decided not to go back to Europe this year, so "Bello-guardo," her Santa Barbara home, will be the scene of many interesting week-end parties.

### MRS. ALEXANDER IS NEW YORK HOSTESS

Among the prominent New York hostesses this winter is Mrs. Charles B. Alexander, who was formerly Miss Hattie Crocker. Mrs. Alexander has cards out for a dinner and musicale at her home in West Fifty-eighth street in New York. She has also cards out for a dinner and musicale in honor of Ambassador and Mrs. Reid.

In spite of all reports to the contrary Ambassador and Mrs. Reid are coming to California to spend their usual midwinter days here. They opened their New York home that they might entertain their friends, the Duke and Duchess of Connaught and the Princess Patricia. The latter is an exceedingly attractive young girl and one of the most independent young princesses in Europe.

The Reids are, in their way, very independent, and if they have included only 300 in their invitations to the dinner dance in honor of their aristocratic guests that is probably the extent of their New York calling list just now. They have been away from New York a long time and their daughter, Mrs. John Ward (Jean

Reid), is married in England, with a permanent home in London.

### BRIGHT COLORS MUCH IN EVIDENCE

Bright color tones are much in evidence this season in the attractive gowns one sees at leading social affairs. There is a color scheme that is very cheerful and contributes much to the gaiety of a social gathering. Old rose, various shades of pink and geranium-hued gowns have been most in evidence this winter.

Of the young matrons across the bay Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt Jr. is always the most simply gowned, but she also represents some of the most effective color studies. A recent gown is a soft silk of Italian pink, beautifully trimmed in French roses.

Miss Ernestine McNear has a very attractive evening gown in pink tulle and satin, with a garniture of small French roses.

Miss Jennie Crocker looked exceedingly well at the Cinderella ball in a gown of rose and lavender brocade, beautifully draped in violet chiffon.

One of the prettiest girls across the bay is Miss Innes Keeney. She wore at the Cinderella ball a princess gown of geranium pink velvet, the corsage showing a beautiful arrangement of real lace.

There has never been a time when well-known people have so affected something distinctive in their style of dressing. In the exclusive centers of Boston and New York every one is discussing the unique personality of Mme. Maeterlinck, who has come to America to give us her version of "Ariane" and of "Mellande." She says Ariane is the soul of the modern woman, what she wants and desires, and Mellande is helpless, a creature of circumstance, a victim of life, of love, of herself and of others.

Mme. Maeterlinck has hair of burnished gold and she has strange gray-green eyes that are sometimes topaz like, and she wears a great diamond in the middle of her forehead.

One of her reception gowns that has surprised Boston represents the foliage of the forest, and she wears with it a golden headdress in the Venetian style, with a unique sort of ear clasp, consisting of a bunch of turquoises on each side of the head, with pendants of the same material.

It must be said of the deeper color tones that they are more affected this season by the matrons, who have been seen at social functions in the royal purples so fashionable this season and in the more cheerful tones of old rose. The debutantes, for the most part, have worn frocks of white or pale pink or pale blue, with trimming of silver lace.

At the Greenway dance Mrs. Andrew Welch wore a gorgeous gown of purple velvet, the corsage beautifully trimmed in gold lace and fringe.

Mrs. Ernestine McNear wore a French costume representing color

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## Advice to Beauty Seekers

(By MADAME MAREE.)

### FOR A BEAUTIFUL FORM.

Nature did not intend woman to be thin and scrawny, and where underdevelopment exists it can be easily corrected. The Vaucelle method rarely fails, and while simple is correct in principle. By this treatment starved and stunted tissues receive proper nourishment and assume their correct proportions. Any woman can prepare her own treatment by making a syrup with a cup and a half of sugar and water to make a pint. In this is stirred one ounce of gallol (the sure test for the pure). Take two teaspoonfuls before meals, and before long you will notice marked results. This recipe is inexpensive, and results the certain if you follow these simple directions.

### ANSWERS TO QUERIES.

Dolores: My dear girl! Don't think of doing that. All you require is a good massage cream. This cleanses the pores and skin of impurities and bestows an exquisitely refined bloom to the complexion. You will find a carol massage cream easiest to prepare and unflattering in results, and as you can make it at small cost, you should never be without it. Get three ounces carol at the drug store and dissolve in a pint jar of boiling water, stirring until smooth and creamy. A nightly massage with this and the skin is soon cleared of its pimples, sallow condition.

M. W.: Until the hair follicles are stimulated to healthy action, you will always be troubled with brittle, thin, stringy hair. A good tonic gives new life to hair roots, and when this is done the hair grows in soft, rich and fluffy. The best tonic I know is made at small cost. Here it is: Mix a half-pint each alcohol and water, and pour in one ounce beta-canthol. A little massaged in the

scalp nightly for a time produces an abundance of fine, glossy hair. You get beta-canthol at the drugists.

Hope: Don't use soaps on the hair and scalp. What is needed to correct the oily condition is a good shampoo twice a month for a time, and excess oil and dandruff then will not bother you. A splendid shampoo can be had with plain eggol, which you can buy at any drug store. This makes a searching yet soothing lather and thoroughly cleanses the scalp, leaving it healthy and pliant and giving to the hair a rich luster.

Gretchen: I am deeply sorry because of the fuzzy growth on your chin. However, get an ounce of delol at the drug store and mix a little with water to make a paste, then spread thickly on the offending hairs and after two or three minutes scrape off and wash the surface and the hairs are gone. You will find delol a little expensive, but it does the work quickly and well.

G. S.: I am glad you like my gallol recipe. An excellent retreating cream can be made by dissolving two ounces of amoral in a pint of hot water. The skin should be washed thoroughly and dried before this cream is applied. Use it freely each night before retiring and you will soon have a smooth, velvety complexion without the use of powder or cosmetics.

### MME. MAREE-SPECIAL NOTICE TO HER READERS

Should your druggist not have the article you want send direct to me and I will send it to you by mail. Prices as follows: Eggol, 5c; Amoral, 75c; Beta-canthol, 15c; Carol, 15c; Delol, 75c; Gallol, 15c. Madame Maree, 42 Clark building, Chicago, Ill. Mark your letter Personal.



# SAN FRANCISCO SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA AGAIN TO DELIGHT LOCAL MUSIC FOLK

## Second Concert Will Be Held on Jan. 25.

The second concert by the San Francisco Symphony Orchestra of sixty-five players, under the direction of Henry Hadley, will be given at the Yerkes Playhouse next Thursday afternoon, January 25, at 3:20. Although the attendance at the first concert was not as large as might be desired it was most enthusiastic, and what was more gratifying, was largely composed of young folks, and so Manager Greenbaum, representing the musical association, decided to continue the good work. As a result we are to have a still finer program next Thursday and at the same popular prices, namely, from \$1 down to 25 cents.

The program will include a violin solo with orchestral accompaniment, by Eduard Tak, the concert master of the organization, and the brilliant "Rondo Capriccioso," by Saint-Saens. The other numbers will be Tchaikowsky's "March Slav," the extremely beautiful and interesting "Symphony in F," which made the particular hit at the second of the symphony concerts in San Francisco; Mozart's exquisite overture to "The Magic Flute," and Wagner's majestic overture to "Tannhauser."

Seats will be ready at the Liberty box office Monday morning. Mail orders should be addressed to H. W. Bishop.

It is sincerely to be hoped the theater will be taxed to its utmost capacity at this event, for there are enough music lovers in Oakland, Berkeley and Alameda to warrant a series of popular and symphony concerts on this side of the bay if they would only become a bit interested.

The next star musical attraction at the Yerkes will be a concert by Vladimir De Pachmann, the famous pianist, and the greatest Chopin player living, the date being Thursday afternoon, February 1 at 3:15.

Two hundred students of the University of California, under the direction of Paul Steindorff, have formed a symphony concert club. They will give the first of a series of public concerts in the gymnasium, Berkeley campus, during the latter part of March.

The plans are the direct result of the success achieved by the chorus in its first public appearance at a university meeting just prior to the close of last semester. The generous applause which greeted the singers assured the organizers of the success of the chorus, which was originally suggested by Prof. Richard F. Scholz, acting head of the department of music, at its initial concert last year, comprised but 150 voices. As a means of encouraging interest in music, students enrolling in the chorus will receive one credit for their work.

William J. McCoy addressed the music history section of the Adelphi Club on Wednesday, when he spoke on "The Orchestra." Several of the compositions of Mr. McCoy were sung by Miss Dorothy Churchill and Frank Corbush.

The program which included "The Planets," written and dedicated to him by Mrs. Joseph Hannum, and "Milo B. Landes, an Oriental rug expert, who will deliver an address, "Sideglances on Oriental Rugs."

The Piedmont Musical Club gave an interesting musical evening at the home of Mr. J. B. Richardson on Monday evening when the following numbers were given under the direction of Mrs. Luella Wagor Coplin.

**WOMEN COMPOSERS.**  
Biographical—Mrs. Luella Wagor Coplin.

**ENGLAND.**  
Lady Scott.  
1. Annie Laurie—Song by entire club.  
Alice Mary Smith.  
2. Duet, O. Th. The Two Were Maying—Misses Inez and Leona Merchant.  
Alicia Needham.  
3. Haymaking—Miss Laura Lloyd.  
Amy Woodford Spind.

**FRANCE.**  
Marie Antoinette.  
4. My Friend—Miss Laura Lloyd.  
Cecil Chamblade.  
La Livre—Mrs. Clark Pomeroy.  
Summer—Miss Helen Vollmer.  
Berceuse—Mrs. Clark Pomeroy.

**ITALY.**  
Del Acqua.  
Chanson Provencale; Villandie—Miss Hazel Blackhart.

**AMERICA.**  
Carrie Jacobs Bond.  
The Perfect Day; "Just Awearin' for You; It's Lullaby—Miss Helen Vollmer.

**"STUDIES PRIMER TO GET HER VOICE BACK"**

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 20.—Alone in a room at the city hospital with only a primer for which she must learn to articulate consonants and vowels, Ada Decker, 17 years old, the girl with the soundless voice, is trying to win back the power of audible speech.

The girl is suffering from aphonia hysteria. She was at the convent of the Good Shepherd, and after a slight cold, as a result of which she became afraid she would lose her voice, found herself unable to make a sound. Physicians could find no pathological symptoms warrant the condition, and it was believed it was put to play with children she would unconsciously return to ordinary speech. The plan failed after a week, and Saturday a neurologist suggested that she be isolated and that she be treated as would a baby.

Mrs. Mary Decker of Springfield, Ill., mother of the girl, has visited her several times.



EDUARD TAK, violin soloist and concertmaster of the San Francisco Symphony Orchestra.

## TOMBSTONE PHOTO DREAM IS REALIZED TO PROVE DEATH IN SEEING COUNTESS

Living Far Apart Father and Daughter Believe Each Other Dead.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Dr. Marie E. Megill of Asbury avenue, Asbury Park, N. J., is looking for a couple of tombstones. She has photographs of them that do not, however, promise to be of much aid in her search. Also Dr. Megill is looking for a black sheep relative with a sense of humor that now has been shown to be rather too grisly for appreciation.

Ten years ago Dr. Megill heard through this relative that her father was dead in the Southwest. She promptly defrayed the expenses of his burial and bought a handsome tombstone to mark his grave. Promptly enough, the black sheep sent her a photograph of the monument, which Dr. Megill has treasured ever since, the relative's description of the father's last resting place having been but sketchy.

A few months ago Dr. Megill was amazed to hear that her father had been stricken with paralysis in Waco, Texas, the notification reaching her after a long journey by way of an old address found among the father's effects. Dr. Megill went at once to Texas, and found that for ten years her father had believed her dead. The same black sheep had told him so, and had collected for her funeral and for a tombstone, of which a photograph was supplied.

Dr. Megill is now on her way to Texas to bring her father back when he is able to travel. Meantime she and he are wondering whether those photographed tombstones were really erected any place, or whether they are just further proof that Nature offers no obstacles that Art cannot overcome.

**POOR FAMILY FINDS  
GEMS IN GIFT SHOE**

PORTLAND, Jan. 20.—Unintentionally, the wife of a prominent lawyer on Portland Heights gave away all her jewelry, amounting in value to several hundred dollars. The jewelry, placed in a chamber bag, had been concealed in an old shoe so that prospective burglars would not find it.

Learning of a family quarrel, the lawyer's wife sent provisions and inquired if old clothes would be acceptable. As the family consisted of a mother and several children, the clothing was as thankfully received as the provisions. All the lawyer's old clothes were bundled up and sent over with an assortment of partly-worn shoes. In gathering up the collection the lawyer's wife forgot about her treasure trove, which snuggled comfortably in an old shoe of her husband's. This shoe was sent along with the rest.

Next day came a knock at the door and two boys, children of the mother who had received attention, asked admission.

"Please, ma'am," said one, "mamma didn't think you intended to give us this," and he handed over the jewel bag.

Handshake and a Dollar Were Also Given the Messenger Boy.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—George Clark of No. 3451 Third avenue, saw a real live countess. He is a 14-year-old messenger boy who has read of nobility in the newspapers since he was ten. He had seen a few kings and emperors in wax, but always he had hoped to see some noble person in the flesh.

His chance came when he was sent to the White Star liner Olympic with an armful of roses for the Countess Bron, daughter of Ambassador Lelshman. Never had roses been more carefully guarded by a 14-year-old. Clark found the Biron suite of rooms and knocked nervously on the door, which a maid opened.

"Is the countess in?" he asked.

"No," replied the maid. "I will take the flowers."

"Oh, no," faltered Clark. "I must give them to the countess."

The maid wasted no words on the boy. He had to give up or go away, so he handed her the roses. The door closed and the errand of George apparently was over.

It was near sailing time and the boy ran a risk of going out with the Olympic and being put ashore with the pilot. But what was that when one might see a real countess.

Presently the Countess Bron hurried from the deck to her room. A reporter who had been talking with her heard the boy's story, and he told it to the countess. She came out into the corridor and smiled upon the little messenger. His patient curiosity amused her, and she shook his hand. He left the ship as one in a dream, and when he awoke upon the pier he found a crisp dollar bill in the hand of a real countess had shaken.

**MAN IN HER GRAVE,  
ASKS FOR REMOVAL**

BOSTON, Jan. 20.—Mrs. Anna Myerson of Roxbury, has brought an unusual bill of equity in the Superior Court, seeking to compel the Pride of Boston Cemetery Association and Mrs. Annie Rubin's husband to disinter the body of Mrs. Rubin's husband and move it to another grave.

Mrs. Myerson's husband is buried in grave No. 41, in the cemetery, in Woburn. Mrs. Myerson had planned that when her life was done her body would be placed in the grave beside that of her husband and that over both would be an ornamental tombstone. She decided recently to have the tombstone erected, only to find that Mrs. Rubin's husband had by some mistake been placed in the adjoining grave, which Mrs. Myerson says she had purchased.

# Suzette's Letter and Other Society News

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tones of green and ecru. The gown was of Nile green satin and the bodice was elaborately trimmed in pale ecru lace.

## WEARING OF FURS BECOMES UNIVERSAL.

On both sides of the bay, among the well-known people of the smart set, the wearing of furs has become universal. The winter has been unusually warm, but that does not matter, nobody wears furs for warmth, they wear them "for looks." And certainly nothing is more becoming if only care is demonstrated in choosing them. One carrying elaborate furs may be immensely amusing and the short, stout woman in a big fur coat may look like the polar bear waddling down from the north pole.

Poor King George! Many were his cares at the great Durbar. But few were more annoying than the fact that he had to wear the great cloak, trimmed in ermine, falling to the floor on all sides of him. With his crown on—with all due deference to kingly dignity—he made an immensely amusing picture. How he would hate to gaze upon himself in a moving picture film.

A whole chapter might be written on furs, and one might describe the tall lady, who wears a tiny neck piece with a bit of a muff that would hardly hold two hands at once. And there is the lady who does not choose the right color tones—for furs have definitely striking tones.

Brunettes look specially well in ermine, and these furs are most becoming to Mrs. Tyler Henshaw and Mrs. Wallace Alexander. Mrs. Boardman and Mrs. Luning look specially well in the soft toned grays one finds in the famous chinchilla furs.

Mrs. Mark Requa always dresses in exquisite taste and most appropriately, and her beautiful sable furs add a finishing touch to a handsome street costume.

Mrs. A. L. White wears specially becoming furs and Mrs. Frank L. Brown's furs are of sable.

Mrs. Hearst has a wonderful sable coat and muff and she often wears to the symphony orchestras this year a beautiful cape of ermine.

Mrs. J. P. Dunn's handsome black furs are most becoming to her brunette coloring and her sisters, Mrs. Leon Bocqueraz and Mrs. J. H. Dieckmann, are always beautifully gowned.

Mrs. Frank Havens has some exceedingly beautiful furs, among them is a superb set of tiger skins which have been much admired.

**MISS PREBLE IS  
MUSICAL HOSTESS.**

As usual Californians are much to the fore in New York and among the younger people who are scoring well is Miss Preble of Berkeley. She presented last week at the Waldorf-Astoria a unique program of American Indian songs and dances. For the

## To Develop the Bust

To Beauty Editor: I am so ashamed of my thin bust that I want to ask you if there is any harmless way to develop it. My hips and the rest of my body are right for the present styles, and I do not want them any larger, but my bust is so flat that I would try anything that gave hope of even three or four more inches development.

The only thing that I know of that will develop the bust without increasing the size of the hips, or without putting on flesh where not needed, is a prescription put up by The Dr. Kelly Co., especially for small and undeveloped breasts. It is the discovery of a woman physician whose practice was largely among her own sex and in most cases increases the bust measure four to six inches in a month. Send 50c to the Dr. Kelly Co., Dept. 215-AB, Buffalo, N. Y., and they will send you a trial package of the treatment without charge. This is said to be of great value in cases of arrested development of the bust and will give a full, beautiful form without anyone knowing that the treatment was used.

Many mothers have told me that after the baby had been weaned, the breasts became flabby and shrunken, but the use of Dr. Kelly's prescription made them full and firm. Do not use pads or bust forms, as they never look natural and have a bad effect upon the general form. Neither would I recommend ordinary flesh builders or tonics, as they increase the hips and limbs, and with the present styles the form could be seen everywhere except a generously developed bust.

first time in New York the weird chants and ceremonial dances of the Zuni Indians were given for the benefit of one of the charitable organizations.

Specially effective was the "Sunrise Call," with its echo song, one of the oldest chants of the Zuni Indians. A charming number was the Zunian lullaby, which is chanted by the Zunian mother as she soothes her baby to sleep and invokes the protection of the gods of the air, water and earth. Among the patronesses were Mrs. Levi Morton, Mme. Gadeski, Mrs. Borden Harriman, Mrs. James Roosevelt, Mrs. F. W. Vanderbilt and Mrs. Jacob Schiff.

## LYNHAM SHIELDS HERE ON VISIT.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lynham Shields (Elsie Bennet) have come up from their Los Gatos home and are spending some days at the St. Francis. They are making their permanent home in Los Gatos, where they are developing a very fine country residence.

Many Oakland people find Los Gatos a delightful place for a country home, and among the most beautiful places established there is the picturesque suburban home of the A. J. Ralston. It is built far up on the Los Gatos hills, on a projecting plateau, and the living room looks down the sheer side of a mountain and off over the splendid Santa Clara valley.

Dr. and Mrs. William Bullitt have come out from Kentucky and have established a fine home at Berryessa, not far from Los Gatos. Mrs. Bullitt was formerly Miss Claire Ralston, one of the pretty and popular girls of the former "Deux Temps" dancing club.

## MRS. JOHN HAYS LEAVES ON TRIP.

Mrs. John Hays and her niece, quaint, pretty Eliza McMullin, left for the East and Europe last week. They are to travel extensively and are to be gone a year.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Montague left for the East last week and after a visit with their son, Paige Montague, who is studying in the Harvard law school, they will take the Mediterranean trip. They are going to Egypt and will spend the remainder of the winter in Cairo. Many people are traveling in these midwinter days, for there are many alluring destinations—Egypt, Florida, Bermuda, South America, Southern California, Yosemite—all have charms of their own.

Dr. and Mrs. Lyman (Dorothy Van Sicken) are in London, where they are to spend some weeks.

Mrs. William G. Henshaw and her daughters made Paris their headquarters, and from there they make delightful tours of famous places.

The Misses Huff are to spend midwinter days in the Orient and in China are the Misses Louise and Emma Mahony. Mr. and Mrs. Wickham Havens arrived from the East this week and in New York have recently been Mr. and Mrs. Edson Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Walsh and Mrs. Maurice Walsh are now in New York, and Mrs. Whitehead and Miss Mills write delightfully of Canadian winter scenes.

No trip could be more attractive than an expedition to our far-famed Yosemite valley. The Yosemite winter scenes are wonderfully beautiful and they are beginning to attract tourists from all over the world. Among those who often visit Yosemite valley is Joseph Carleton, who appreciates the restful days the great valley has to offer to tired business men.

In fact we are just beginning to realize the possibilities in our California winter, and among the country homes now being kept open all the year round are those belonging to Edgar Bishop, Frank L. Brown, Wallace Alexander, E. A. Heron, Irving Lundborg, Arthur Holland, the Misses Huff, Mrs. Horry Meek, Egbert Stone, A. Schilling, J. H. Costigan, Mrs. Maus.

Never were there so many activities to interest the busy members of a bright smart set, and the days bid fair to go swiftly by, bringing the Lenten days, which bring, too, the spring time—which always means "the dawn of a tomorrow."

SUZETTE.

## Society

MISS IDA HENSHAW was a hostess yesterday, entertaining a jolly group of young people at a matinee party.

A hostess of Saturday night was Mrs. John Dornin, who entertained at an attractively planned dinner at the Dornin home in Berkeley.

Another recent hostess was Miss Elsie Gremke, who entertained at dinner Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Luning, Mrs. A. Chaurche, Mrs. M. S. Bar, Mr. E. Phillips, Miss Helen Bus and Miss Clara Bus.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Williamson, who have been in the East since before the holiday season, are expected home today.

**LETTERS FROM ABROAD.**

Letters from abroad bring news of Mrs. P. A. Morbio, who is visiting her daughters, who are attending school in Switzerland. She will return in February to Italy and remain with her sister.

ter-in-law, the Countess of Creste for the summer.

**ESTABLISH PERMANENT HOME.**

Mr. and Mrs. Alpheus Williams will establish their permanent home on the Pacific coast.

The marriage of Mrs. Williams took place in South Africa, where Williams, who is a graduate of the University of California, was connected with a large diamond mine. Williams is a brother of Mrs. William Mein and a nephew of Mrs. E. B. Clement.

**MOVED TO OAKLAND.**

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis A. Hillborn, formerly of Sausalito, have moved to Oakland and have taken apartments at the Peralta.

**VISITING AT MARSHLY HOME.**

Mrs. Gertrude Bosworth of Blockburg, Humboldt county, is visiting Mrs. George Marshly. Mrs. Marshly is also a guest. The latter was given a prettily appointed luncheon recently by Mrs. Searle Nevins (Georgette Marshly) of Berkeley.

**BRIDGE.**

Miss Edna Siegfried has sent out cards for next Wednesday afternoon asking a score of the younger girls for bridge.

**TO CLOSE ALAMEDA HOME.**

Mrs. Edgar Painter, with her two daughters, will close their Alameda home.

## CENSUS JOBS LOST BY FIVE HUNDRED

Cut in Appropriation Brings Big Reduction in Force of Clerks.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Approximately 500 clerks on the temporary roll of the United States census bureau have been notified that their services are no longer required by Uncle Sam. Of this number 250 already have received the fateful "blue envelope." A hundred telegrams were sent out yesterday by Director Durand to clerks who are out of the city on annual leave advising them that they may just as well remain at home as far as their jobs in the census bureau are concerned.

The working staff of the census bureau is sadly demoralized. Those who had received their "walking papers" were too agitated to attend to their duties properly, and those who escaped the first decapitation are in fearful anticipation. The telegraph offices were besieged by unfortunate clerks who sought to communicate with their "influence" and bring pressure to bear to cause their reinstatement.

For once in the history of governmental patronage, congressional influence, in connection with census positions, is looked upon as a thing that will avail nothing, and which really is a positive disadvantage. Congress is responsible for the cut of \$500,000 in the appropriation requested by Mr. Durand for the completion of the thirteenth census.

**HELD TO ANSWER.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—William Sommers was held to answer to the superior court today for robbery. He was arrested on complaint of Donald McLean, a seafaring man.

# FAT VANISHES

ONE POUND A DAY  
BY NEW DRUGLESS METHOD  
TRUE SUCCESS AT LAST  
DOUBLE CHIN GOES QUICK

Two Hundred Thousand Women Made Happy With This New Knowledge Through a Copy of This Remarkable Book, "WEIGHT REDUCTION WITHOUT DRUGS." Isn't This Convincing Evidence as to Its Value?



SEE ME HERE!  
I LOOKED AS FAT AS AN OX BEFORE REDUCED MY FAT

THE JOY OF LIVING IS THE HERITAGE OF THE LIGHT. I WAS STOUT—AND KNOW.

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It is astonishing the thousands of grateful letters I am receiving. I. E. Howell, Box 422, Great Bend, Kansas, writes that he lost fifty pounds with my harmless treatment. W. L. Schmitt, Montevideo, Minnesota, lost thirty pounds in thirty days. Mamie McNeilly, Desloge, Missouri, writes that she lost sixty-five pounds with this new method, and I can send you thousands of names of satisfied customers who have given me permission to use their names. I never publish any name without written permission.

Every reader of this paper who has the slightest interest in Miss Hamilton's remarkable new treatment should write her promptly for all she agrees to send free, for, as she has said, her book, "Weight Reduction Without Drugs," is entirely free; you have everything to gain and nothing to lose; but the book is expensive and you may, if you wish, send a two-cent stamp to help pay postage.

shortly and will go to Santa Cruz for three months.

Miss Janet Painter and Miss Alexander will share the honors at the affair which Miss Edith Rucker will preside over on Wednesday, January 31.

**HOSTESSES.**

Miss Myrtle Ristenpart entertained yesterday at cards at her home in Berkeley. Miss Ellen Downing of Suisun being the guest of honor. Miss Downing is the promised bride of Karl Forsythe Kennedy, and since the announcement has been much entertained by her friends in the bay cities.

Next Wednesday Mrs. George R. M. Gray will open her East Oakland home to a dozen matrons who occasionally enjoy together a game of bridge. An informal luncheon will precede the hour about the card tables.

**CRITERION CLUB.**

A jinks for the members of the Criterion Club will be given at the home of Mrs. Lucille Knowland on Everett street, February 21. The affair will favor of Colonial days, and a splendid program is in course of preparation. On January 31 the Criterion Club will give "An Evening of Music" at the home of Mrs. Alfred Latham.

**RECENT WEDDING.**

R. H. Malone, a merchant of Palo Alto, and Miss Belle Murphy of Salinas, were married last Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock in St. Mary's church, Eighth and Grove streets, by Rev. Father Gleason. Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served in Babst Cafe, at which were present besides the bride and groom, Mrs. Charles Duncan of Salinas, Miss Fae Byrnes of Palo Alto, and Mr. and Mrs. James T. Roche and son of Oakland.

**WEDDED THIS AFTERNOON.**

Miss Laura Trousdale of Nevada and H. J. Florian of this city will be married this afternoon at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. L. B. Stevens, on Grove street. The wedding will be attended by many friends here.

**COMPLIMENTARY AFFAIR.**

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stark entertained a number of friends recently at their home on Fifth avenue in the Lake Merritt district, in honor of Miss May Demming's birthday. The feature of the evening was music after which a supper was served. Among those present were: Misses Rhoda Forry, Lucille Easton, Mabel Stephens, Bertha Harmon, Eleanor Demming, Josephine Antolre, Juliet Demming, Mrs. James Demming, Mrs. Herman Stark; Messrs. Perry Watson, Arthur Codrington, Thane Clark, Robert Taber, Herman Stark and William Willford.

**RETURNED HOME.**

Judge and Mrs. W. Arthur Sherman have returned from their Eastern trip. Andrew Fairchild Sherman, his wife and Miss Mary Kelm Sherman stopped in Salt Lake City for a week.

**C. ARTHUR HURST ENTERTAINS.**

Mr. and Mrs. C. Arthur Hurst of Berkeley gave a midnight supper in honor of Miss Marjorie Rameau, leading lady at Ye Liberty theater. Included in the "menu" were Ye Liberty cocktail and Marjorie Rameau ico. Those present were: Miss Marjorie Rameau, Mrs. Rameau, Miss Jessie Sanborn, Brockton O'Farrell, James Gleason, all of Ye Liberty theater; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cook of San Francisco, Dr. Francis Harding and Mrs. Harding, Miss Elma Williams of Grass Valley, Ford Woodman and Harry Hurst.

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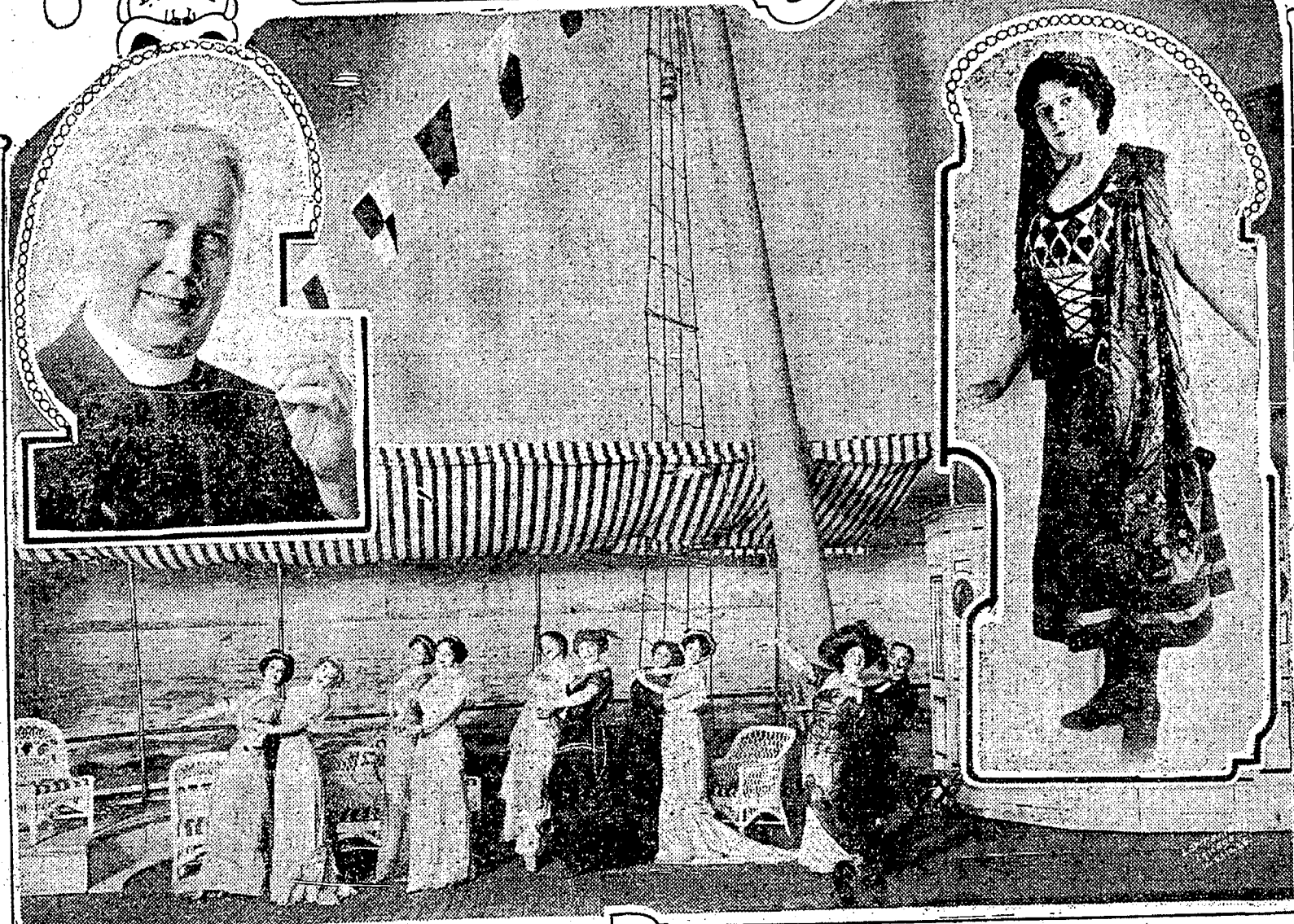
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IN THE ROSARY • MACDONOUGH

## MACDONOUGH

In the big special spectacular production of "The Bohemian Girl," which will be the Aborn Opera Company's offering in English at the Macdonough for four nights and Wednesday matinee, starting tonight, theatergoers are promised not only the most pretentious spectacular effort of the Impresario Aborn in their career as producers of opera in English, but what is probably the most elaborate staging of Balfe's grand masterpiece that has ever been made in this country. In order to make this production in every particular a crowning event, the Messrs. Aborn have carefully culled not only from their own organizations, but from other grand opera companies, the very best available talent, each artist having been selected with a view of his or her particular fitness for the different roles. It is said the result is an unusually complete grand opera complement of soloists, chorus, augmented orchestra, corps de ballet, and special performers enlisting the services of more than one hundred people.

We are given to understand that the many striking features which have been so consistently introduced into the detail of the five great realistic stage pictures are all originally suggested in the book and score of the opera, but this is the first time that an effort has been made to fully develop and amplify them. In the incidental detail there are introduced a cavalcade of horses, bands of real gypsies, wonderful acrobats, etc. The cast of soloists includes Blanche Morrison as Arline, Mattie Belle Ladd as the gypsy queen, John R. Phillips as Thaddeus, Harry Luckstone as Count Arnheim, George Shields as Devilshoff, and Augustus Vaughan as Florestin.

## THE ROSARY

Rowland and Clifford's play, "The Rosary," is repeating this season with remarkable success. This play, as everybody remembers, was the hit of last season, when it broke many house records for big audiences. The play was written by Edward E. Rose, author of "The Prisoner of Zenda," and many other successes, and has become as much of a favorite with theatergoers through-

## ORPHEUM

A truly remarkable bill is that which the Orpheum patrons will see during the coming week, beginning with today's matinee, a bill such as is seldom seen even in the theatrical centers of the east and Europe. The Orpheum management calls particular attention to the fact that the program, which is headed by Ada

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Reeve, includes seven absolutely new vaudeville acts that have never before been seen in Oakland, also new motion pictures and new orchestra concert music. The management makes the definite assertion that this is the most extraordinary and the most expensive bill of vaudeville ever presented to Oakland theatergoers.

Miss Ada Reeve, England's highest salaried musical comedienne, an artist in the truest sense of the word, will appear for just one week. A delightful personality, a charming voice, presence, and a deft originality of method all her own captured the American public on her first appearance in this country a few weeks ago, and her recent success at the Orpheum in San Francisco, cut short by her illness, was so great that she is to return there after her Oakland engagement.

The newcomer is utterly unlike any other English music hall artist we have yet had in this country, and is certain to achieve as great a popular success here as she had in England, where her name is a synonym for success.

Will Roehm's athletic girls will present the most original act, consisting of exhibitions of the arts of boxing, fencing, wrestling and bag punching. The girls are all pretty and do their work generally associated with strong athletes of the opposite sex, with a grace and charm peculiarly their own. In all their feats the performers are experts, the former twins in their various bits of work showing what can be accomplished through the proper sort of physical culture.

Clear Loring is a protean violinist, who, by clever make-up and music appropriate to the character he assumes, presents a unique act. In the course of it he appears as a Bohemian student of music, an aged English beggar, and the gypsy violinist, Chico, ex-husband of the famous Princess Rigmoo, now appearing in New York.

"The Dutch in China" is the title of a funny sketch which Carson and Willard will give. The idea of the sketch is funny in the extreme, and the two players in exaggerated German tourists' costumes in a Chinese setting add to the mirth by their work.

The Juggling Burkes will do a number of difficult feats with Indian clubs, at the same time stringing their performance together with a thread of humor which adds to the interest.

A song act will be given by Van and Schenck, who will entertain at the piano with some popular selections sung in catchy fashion.

Miss Maud O'Delle, a prominent actress with a large following in the west, who has been identified with notable parts in big stock productions in this city and in San Francisco, will appear at the head of Montague's entitled "The Hypocrite."

Gordon Eldrid with his company of farceurs will stage the big laughing success, "Won by a Leg." This will be the only act retained from last week's vaudeville bill at the Orpheum.

There will be new motion pictures shown, and the enlarged Orpheum orchestra will give an operatic concert each night at 8 o'clock.

The Irish romance, "Erin's Isle," with Miss May Hixton, the noted Irish lyric soprano, and a cast of sterling ability is the big feature of the show this week at the Bell Theater. The sketch is said to be one of the brightest of the Sullivan & Considine productions sent along the circuit. This promises to be the biggest Irish singing act that has come this way this year and all lovers of those old Irish melodies will find an evident enjoyment in the ballads and music of the

old country that this organization presents. Another feature of the Bell Theater bill this week will be the Saranthalier troupe of Tyrolean Serenaders, presenting an act composed of singing, dancing and various other social arts. The act is said to be most beautiful, staged, the special scenery representing an Alpine village in the Alps of Switzerland. The act comes direct from the London Coliseum, where it was played for eight weeks.

Al and Jack Gruet are a couple of merry minstrel men who are unique dancers, good singers and tell a number of jokes which are not as old as the hills. "A Student's Apartments" is a college comedietta in which Calvert Dean and Leta Price will entertain. There is just enough plot to carry the songs and a gladsome college atmosphere is reproduced. W. J. Coleman, the Irish wit and singer, is on the bill. Coleman has a fund of character stories that carry a laugh in every line.

"Black and White" or Maklin, Eddy and Nickols will offer a comedy athletic act said to be original and laughable.

As an added feature there will be an exposition of Texas Tommy dancing. That is, the various steps and swings in the popular dance will be exemplified and all who are interested in learning this latest terpsichorean feat will, by a visit to the Bell this week, be able to accomplish the steps with ease.

The motion pictures will be the best obtainable.

## COLUMBIA

For the ensuing week, commencing with the matinee today, those joyful chaps, Dillon & King, will produce at the Columbia theater a new musical comedy entitled, "The King of Bing-Bong."

The plot of the piece is an unusually funny one, dealing with a case of mistaken identity. Major Corrigan, played by the "funny tad," Ben Dillon, receives a telegram from his soldier son, Charlie Reilly, announcing his return home from the Philippines via Hongkong, accompanied by his bodyguard, "Ike," Will King. The wording of the telegram is misunderstood, with the result that it is noted about that the King of Bing-Bong will shortly arrive in their midst, so pretentious preparations are made to

receive his royal highness. The travelers arrive and are given a grand reception, and the bodyguard dressed as an Oriental servant is taken for the king. Many funny situations arise as a result of this and the audience is kept in gales of laughter throughout the entire action of the piece.

New scenery, costumes and pretty girls will be much in evidence this week and the popular "Ginger Girls" have in preparation stunts that are sure to please.

The musical numbers of "The King of Bing-Bong" will be the strong features of the forthcoming production. Producer Dillon and chorus and Directress Mary Logan have been busy rounding the chorus into shape for the difficult numbers to be presented. The following selections will no doubt prove very popular: "Ship, Ahoy," "What Are the Chances of Married Life," "My Dream of the U. S. A.," "I Want to Ride on the Ocean of Love," "The Minstrel Show" and "A Garland of Old-Fashioned Roses."

The cast will include all the Columbia favorites, Ben Dillon, Will King, Maude Beatty, Charlie Reilly, Dolly Bunch, Frank Bonner and Hazel Gottung.

On account of the large crowds attending the theater on Friday nights it has become necessary for the management to give two contests on these nights, one immediately following each show. "The King of Bing-Bong" will continue throughout the week with the usual matinee and evening performances.

Those who go to the Liberty this afternoon and evening will find much to interest them in "Sweet Nell of Old Drury," the work of Miss Rambeau as Sweet Nell



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The fun of the play is centered in the wager of a young millionaire—"the gentleman of leisure"—that it is a simple matter to enter a house, take what you want and "make your get-a-way." Some of his friends disagree with him, and he has them a dinner that he could successfully burglarize a house without detection. Then the fun commences. He takes along with him a sure-enough burglar whom he had captured in his own apartments, and whom he convinces that he, also, is a "gentleman" burglar. By mistake they enter the home of the girl the young man is in love with and whose father is a police commissioner. They get out of that all right, and Pitt, the young man in question, taking an interest in "Spike" Mullins, the burglar, engages him as his valet. While visiting at a country house party

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# WHERE CALIFORNIA PLAYS WITH THE MAKE-BELIEVERS

## WORDS, ALFRED, WORDS; NO MORE

(By LEO LEVY.)

**A** REEVE arrives today. We're glad of it. The hundreds upon thousands of that have been powdered on her by man-powered typewriters have quite wearied us. We await the cause of it all that our doubts may be set at rest or revenge wreaked.

Ada Reeve is everything in the dictionary but beautiful. On that claim there is a sameness in the minds of every dramatic reviewer from Chicago to the coast.

As Miss Reeve is not that long-lost eighth marvel of the globe it is because she has arrived too late. Says a writer in the southland:

"Ada Reeve, without a sculptor dream face, without a show girl shape on which to hang her exquisitely designed gowns, could stroll into any galaxy of physical loveliness on earth and command instant attention."

Such being the case, there must be something about the lady besides her husband, that draws her salary. Just what that is the same reviewer explains thus:

"The delicacy, the grace, the subtle intuitive genius of this exquisitely womanly woman, her quiet half-shy comment on life, her infectious and always lady-like comely, her perfect enunciation, the newness and the difference of the things she did—Ada Reeve is the first-nighter's joy and pride, for she has handed us the sensation which we believed didn't exist in the world—a genuine novelty—herself."

Now you see it and now you don't. Just exactly what is a "woman's woman" we must find out today when Miss Reeve trips about a bit and warbles. We will also discover the definition of "lady-like comedy."

The only man who knew woman was a snake and so great was his wisdom that they made him manager of Hell.

When Mrs. Leslie Carter brings "Two Women" here, next month, we'll have a better opportunity than ever to eke out the value of the claim that the actress' art has lost its fine edge.

The first woman of Mrs. Carter's new play, which is an adaptation from the Italian, made by Rupert Hughes, is the wife of a struggling artist. She does fancy sewing to keep her manly genius out of the poorhouse, falls a victim to consumption and dies at about the same hour that the painter stumbles into a fortune, which is at the end of the first act.

A dancer in a strenuous Parisian music hall is the second woman. In physical attributes her likeness to the departed one is dramatically amazing; temperamentally she differs much, being what once was called "tartar." The artist begs her to sit for an unfinished portrait of his wife and she consents. He loves her, but tries to

conquer his passion. She loves him and the roof falls in when he gains control of himself and waves her to the door.

Chicago saw the play and declared that Mrs. Carter's "piercing note is

the tide runs on schedule, and the only thing that can hold up a newspaper's last edition is a mechanical breakdown.

Every little movement will have

MISS ADA REEVE, idol of London, who comes here today to prove right to title.



heard no more." They go on to say that "all is blunt, vehement, in a style of hammer and tongs," that "the actress' old device of a sudden descent from the flaming heights to the commonplace is frequently employed, but without the old artfulness."

In other words, Alfred, we are getting older.

Time waits not at the garden gate.

the same old meaning, this week when "Madame Sherry" wiggles its sinuous way across the local stage. The thing will have an opportunity of proving its coming-back power. Inasmuch as we haven't heard the musical theme of the play hammered out by a mechanical bang-bang for at least six months, nor whistled by high school Willie for several days, the madame should be as freshening as that which sparkles beneath the sub-

Sherry never approached a lot of the rest of them because it lacks color in theme, lines and music. Witty it is, clever and musical, but it merely glows and great musical comedies must sparkle.

If all things were great, none would be great and the dramatic reviewer would have to depend on himself for his estimates.

Richard Walton Tully is busy in New York collecting his royalty on "The Bird of Paradise," his latest play, which seems to satisfy Gotham's gluttonous appetite for the colorful. The adventures of Americans in Hawaii are what the Californian deals with.

Paul Wilson, a young American physician, starts for Molokai to work among the lepers there, believing that he has found, or will find, a cure for leprosy. His steamer calls off the Funa coast of Hawaii, and he goes ashore for a few hours, with others of his party, to see a little of the country and of native life. Close by an enchanting cove he finds the natives of a village celebrating a feast day. He is attracted by a girl of the island, who proves to be the Princess Luana, the next in succession to the Hawaiian throne. The time, it may be remarked, is in the early '90's, just when the monarchy was giving way, and when, at least in the islands, the political future was uncertain. Paul does not go to Molokai. He remains with the Princess Luana and marries her. A fugitive American named Dean, a beachcomber, is rescued from his degraded condition by an American girl, Diana Learned, who is first seen when she is engaged to Wilson. Under Diana's influence Dean rises; under Luana's influence Wilson falls. Under the pressure of fate Luana gives her life in sacrifice to the burning mountain, Kilauea.

The announcement that San Francisco bankers have agreed to back Martin Beck to the tune of \$50,000, that he may realize on his vaudeville dreams, sets aside one rumor, at least. It was recently noted about that Morris Meyerfeld, Jr., president of the Orpheum circuit, had come out in open opposition to Beck in his plans to pull away from the United Booking people and to boost variety to a plane on the level with the vaudeville. Beck has agreed to put up much of the money that Beck needs; Meyerfeld and Beck are still eating at the same table, the former being a director of the bank in question.

Beck is still denying that the Schlitz brewers have a finger in his vaudeville pie. Herman Fehr, who is Beck's partner, is chief attorney for the St. Louis beer makers and a capitalist on his own hook. Beck explains his presence in the vaudeville as a result of traveling, by "I need a companion."

"Fehr is a fountain of wisdom," he said when here last week. "What-ever I want to know he tells me."

Money, also, a fountain, Alfred, spouting much tinkling wisdom.

## Oakland on Theatrical Map

### Is It Going to Stay There?



FRED A. GIESE, whose efforts have placed Oakland on theatrical map of the United States.

**T**HIS is a sermon for you, Man. You have been thundering the slogan of home industry in the home, at the club, on the street, and everywhere else. How about it? Did you attend last week's theatrical production in Oakland, or did you add

carefare and ferry rates to the cost of your tickets and give the San Francisco show man your money?

We're rather anxious for an answer to that question. It will put the proper stamp on a lot of people who are spending dollars from Oakland to spend on amusements across the bay.

Just a word of history. Not many months ago Fred A. Giese took over the management of the Klaw and Erlanger who have been in the theatrical business the greater part of his life and who knows the game from dressing room to box office. He is also one of the managers on the staff of John Cort and in that capacity has an inkling on affairs theatrical.

Giese controlled a number of California theaters at the time he added the Macdonough to his string. He was in a position to book attractions in many thriving smaller cities and his advent here gave him a metropolitan showhouse and that meant much for the others in the chain.

Before Giese, Oakland had been more or less of an insignificant speck on the theatrical map. If it happened that a production had open time when it arrived on the coast, and arrangements could be made, it was booked for the Macdonough. The local management was forced to struggle under circumstances that were not at all conducive to success. As a consequence, while Oakland saw many of the companies sent out from the east, it was obliged to cross the bay to see many more.

Giese changed that at once. His affiliations with John Cort gave him the opportunity and power to book the attractions of the Klaw and Erlanger crowd but also those of the independent. He used that advantage and before the season began every production but one or two that were on the way or due to start from New York for the coast were dated for the Macdonough theater.

And all that means that the same attractions that play San Francisco come here, many of them, before appearing across the bay, company, scenery and play intact. All of which does away with the old excuse for crossing the bay.

It is not an advertisement for the Macdonough theater or any other. It is a brief for a mighty important part of home industry. What we who haunt the theaters as a professional duty, would know is this: Is Oakland to stay on the theatrical map or not?

To state it briefly, and candidly, this city's theater goers have not responded to Manager Giese's policy as they should. Attendance at some of the biggest attractions has been light and sometimes shabby.

It is not rare play. The argument has been advanced that admission prices are too high. No more so here than in San Francisco, Portland, Los Angeles, Chicago, Philadelphia and New York. The lady of the house expects to open her purse wider for choice groceries than she does for the common variety. So does it require a greater expenditure to ride in a taxi than in a street car. It is rather a time-worn, senseless argument that runs a parallel between popular priced vaudeville and first rate attractions.

To those who claim that second and third rate companies are sent west, we have only to say that New York managers learned to their sorrow some time ago, that seconds and thirds won't earn their salt on the coast and the result has been a betterment. Fairness—Robertson and his original company have been here; so has Sam Bernard, H. B. Warner, Anna Held, Mizzia Hays, Lawrence Perry, Robert Hilliard, the comedians Mrs. Leslie Carter, Alva Lloyd, Lulu Glaser, Elsie Jones, Louise Gunning, Blanche Fels and Maud Adams.

As for that old excuse about the "night life" into which one is thrown, does he cross the bay for his theatrical tonic? Mr. Oakland Man comes home from the office at 6 and he's getting his food and spending his razor makes a 7:30 boat. He lands at the San Francisco theater in time to take his seat and hear the tail-end of the overture. After it is over he plunges into the "night life" in a street car that may or may not get him to the club in time to see a first hand, failure to catch which means an hour's wait. He catches a wine or two on forty and train and finishes his supper by closing his eyes in the sleeper somewhere around 12:30 a. m.

And that's the "night life" attraction

## Bits About Actors

### and Acts Here

### and Soon to Come

Lillian Tucker, who sings "Every Little Movement," the recurrent song "hit of 'Mme. Sherry," which will be given during the latter part of the week, at the Macdonough, was a chorus girl only two years ago when she appeared out here in George Cohan's company, presenting "The Yankee Prince."

Izetta Jewel, leading woman at the Liberty only a few months ago, is now occupying the same position in New York with James K. Hackett in his new play, "A Grain of Dust," evolved from the story of the same name by David Graham Phillips. She has been much praised for her work in the role.

"A Gentleman of Leisure," the play which will be the bill at the Liberty this coming week, was given at the Belasco theater in Los Angeles last week with Bessie Barriscale, Donald Bowles and Howard Hickman, all well known here, in the cast. The play was the vehicle for the starring tour of Douglas Fairbanks in the East the early part of the season.

Mrs. Leslie Carter, the famous actress of Benvenuto plays, will appear at the Macdonough on February 8 and 9, presenting her latest play, "Two Women," by Rupert Hughes. The play is the same one which Florence Roberts gave on the coast two or three years ago under the title of "The Transfiguration."

John R. Phillips, tenor of "The Bohemian Girl," press' most successful play, made at the Macdonough tonight for several performances, sang the title role in "The Chocolate Soldier," when it was given here last January.

Walter De Leon's production of his own play, "The Campus," a big success on the coast, has failed to make a hit with Eastern audiences and the tour has been closed. De Leon and his wife, "Muggins" Davies, have joined Ferris Hartman's musical comedy company in Los Angeles, opening in a revival of "The Campus."

Blanche Morrison, who sings the title role in "The Bohemian Girl," Balle's famous old light opera, was for several seasons in the companies of Fritz Schell, as that temperamental little prima donna's understudy, especially in "Mlle. Modiste."

When "Get Rich Quick Wallingford," George Cohan's most successful play, made from the stories of George Randolph Chester, is seen here in the near future it will be presented by a cast including John Webster, William H. Forrest, Jay John, Julius Mathews, James H. Manning, John D. O'Hara, Charles H. Wilson, Charles B. Hamlin, Yoshin Sakurai, Arthur V. Gibson, William C. Mack, Una Symond, William Walcott, Alton B. Pollock, Ethel Hunt, Florence Dunlap, Marjorie Foster, Lois Burnett, Ella Sothorn, Margaret Maclay and others.

## PEOPLE OF ARABIAN NIGHTS LIVE AGAIN IN KALEIDOSCOPIC 'KISMET'

The stage, the curious little walled-in world of romance and of quickened emotions, is, in present times, very often obliged to rely on its own magic, its own ability to supply the favor and suggestion that make it a place where life is revealed rather than reproduced. The plays themselves, nowadays, in their serious endeavors to become reproductions of life, often give very little aid to the theater in its office of playing upon the imagination.

If hope and promises are to come true, however, there is a play today in New York, which throws "real life" to the winds and flings open with a gleeful hand the gates of fancy. It is "Kismet."

The scenes of the play are laid in the city of Bagdad about a thousand years ago. There is a Bagdad today, little Arabian city with few houses, few people and several hundred thousand traditions. But it is not the city of two or three million inhabitants of marvelous doings and untold riches that was a thousand and two years ago in the days when Haroun al Raschid lived and when the moon rose on magic nights. That old city, however, is the Bagdad of "Kismet."

There was a belief in those times that every man had his day. The saying has somewhat degenerated among us into "every dog has his day" which is only another instance of the fact that we are becoming more and more cynical about the possibility of romance in our own lives.

### SHELDON'S LATEST.

Harry Sophus Sheldon, author of "The Havoc," will have a new play called "The Jalbird" ready next season. It will be produced at the Haymarket, who brought "The Havoc" to the stage. The central figure of the story is a man of 35 who has just ended a ten-year term in the penitentiary. The evolution of his character from the state to which it has been reduced as a result of being twice imprisoned in institutions for the criminally inclined enters into the psychology of the play. The story introduces an important feminine interest, but the author has failed to concentrate on the influence of a good woman upon a bad man, customarily exerted in the theater, and in the last act his ex-jalbird returns to the stripes.

### FREIDMAN SWEARS TO THIS.

Leon Friedman wires that Anna Held in "Miss Innocence" played to \$15,000 at the Mason Opera House, Los Angeles, with Henry W. Savage's "Girl of the Golden West" as opposition.

Grace Travers, who has appeared at the Liberty on various occasions, is now a member of the Burbank stock company in Los Angeles.

A thousand and one years ago a man's fate, his kismet, was, they say, kinder to him, took more interest than now in his personality and gave to each a wonderful day. During the course of it, anything was possible. He might at sunrise of this day be sitting in the very dust of the highway, where, perhaps, he had spent his whole life holding up a withered hand murmuring to the passersby for charity, and before the hurrying sun had settled into the golden haze of the desert he might be standing behind the Wazir's throne with the star of empire in his hand directing with a wave of his hand how the world should wag. They were days of sharp contrast, and therefore wonderful days indeed.

Haji, the beggar, is the man in the city of Bagdad whose great day is dawning as the curtain rises. Haji has groveled in the dust always. There is no one to whom he must not bow, for no one is below him. Yet he is rich. Others have given him money to soothe their pity for him and to feed their contempt. The beggar has a daughter, as rare and unaccountable as a desert flower.

Before the day is done the royal harem is opened to her to become its queen of queens and Haji, transformed, wears the soft silks and the gems of royalty. During the course of it he has killed his two enemies; has, in fact, pushed one of them into the palace garden well and held him under water before the eyes of the audience until the last faint bubble

### FIGMAN IN NEW YORK.

Max Figman and wife, who have been playing stock in several Pacific Coast cities, arrived in New York last week and have gone to their home on Long Island for the rest.

When Figman returns to the stage he expects to appear in a new play, "The Little Joker," produced by him in Los Angeles last year.

Figman first played stock at the Alcazar, San Francisco, then went to Seattle and later to Portland. From Portland he went to the Burbank, Los Angeles, where he has been up to a few weeks ago.

### WHITESIDE SECURES TYPHOON.

Walker Whiteside has secured the English rights for this country for "The Typhoon." He will star himself in the piece, opening in St. Louis on January 28. Walter Floyd has been engaged as business manager by the star.

### PIAN S-C OPOSITION.

A syndicate headed by Sam Lowrich is negotiating for a site in Los Angeles directly opposite the Empress, the Sullivan-Conditine house, where it proposes building a "pop" vaudeville theater.

### Harry Lauder Tells

### How He Did it in America

On his arrival in Liverpool, Harry Lauder told the Courier of that city what he thought of America and Americans. After describing his midnight dash from the dock to the theater, to meet the enormous audience waiting for him, Mr. Lauder said that American audiences were more attentive than the English, and less given to vociferous disapproval. During his seven weeks here, the Scotch comedian sang in 62 cities, and as he avers: "Generally, I've been doing two cities a night, traveling from one show to another, sometimes 150 miles, always on a special train of my own." Even conservatives will admit that 150 miles between two "shows" on the same night is quite a pace.

Mr. Lauder prefers American managers, because they did not have such a hold on him. To escape from his English contract, which would have remunerated him at the rate of 120 pounds a week, he had to forfeit 200 pounds more per week. Even at that he made money, for his American salary was 550 pounds per week. The only thing that disturbs Mr. Lauder is that he could not save more for himself.

So, he is planning to visit the United States again in December, 1913, on his trip around the world.

### MAUD ADAMS COMING.

At a conference between Charles Frohman and Maude Adams recently it was decided that Miss Adams' season in Chautauque will be prolonged an additional month beyond the tour as originally laid out, and in fact will be extended after Oakland engagement to the cities of the north-west, ending in Spokane the middle of July. Contrary to her usual practice, this season Miss Adams will give no other play during her appearance than Chautauque. Her next New York appearance will therefore not take place until November, 1912, when her season at the Empire Theater will begin with Chautauque.

## 'LITTLE WOMEN' FOR THE STAGE

Famous Alcott Tales to Be Produced for "Kids" of Other Days.

William A. Brady concluded arrangements last week for the stage rights in "Little Women," the story which made the fame of the late Louisa M. Alcott, and which, although first published 43 years ago, still enjoys a large sale. The gross circulation of Little Women in America is said to exceed 2,000,000 volumes.

The narrative in its original form was a children's story, but its vogue extended beyond the juvenile circle and the author was induced to write a second part, taking the "Little Women" of the March family through the delightful period she described as the "loving" stage. The character of Jo was Miss Alcott herself, while Meg, Beth and Amy were sisters Anna, Elizabeth, and May, and Mr. and Mrs. March were the father and mother. Bronson Alcott, the stage was the daughter of Ralph Waldo Emerson and Nathaniel Hawthorne.

The difficulties which arose in securing the consent of living members of the Alcott family to transferring "Little Women" to the stage were many. For eight years Jessie Bonstelle has been pursuing this object, overcoming one obstacle after another. It was only after many arguments that Miss Bonstelle convinced one of Miss Alcott's nephews, who himself has been a character in the story, that nothing offensive would result from reproducing "Little Women." Subsequently at long intervals came similar objections of other surviving relatives and the guardians of the copyrights.

Then arose the matter of finding a dramatist. Two years ago Miss Bonstelle communicated with John Alcott, the favorite nephew of Miss Alcott, who had adopted the family name at the request of his aunt because there was no Alcott boy. Remembering Miss Alcott's early wish to be an actress, and the little play she wrote as a child, he thought that if "Little Women" were to be prepared properly Miss Alcott herself would not have objected. The contract was signed finally, and Marian de Forest, a noted time writer and a dramatic editor, made the play with suggestions from Mr. Alcott and Miss Bonstelle.

The play is in four acts and two scenes, showing the March sitting room and the Planchard apple orchard at harvest time. The interior "set" will be a replica of the Alcott living room in which the play practically was lived. Many of the identical costumes and properties used by the March girls in their home-made plays will be used in the production, especially Jo's boots, in which she played heroes and villains, and which she got from "a lady who had a friend who knew an actor."

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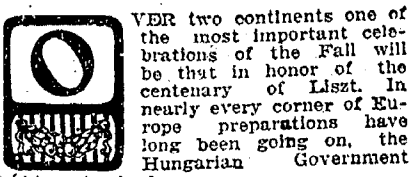
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# Weird Ceremony of Ceylon in Which Figures Bite of Cobra



VER two continents one of the most important ceremonies of the Fall will be that in honor of the centenary of Liszt.

Liszt was born in October, 1811, in the town of Raiding, Hungary. October will be the time, therefore, of countless festivals, big and little, in honor of the great hero, who in his day was a petted prodigy and later a beau ideal in the finest courts of the Continent.

Both Hot at It. For, already, the old Liszt battle, as to whether the brilliant Hungarian was a genius among composers, or merely a renowned pianist who puffed all his ideas, has started anew, vehemently. The two camps are commencing to get hotly at it, and both of them will be heard.

Whether there will be a Liszt monument or memorial to this country seems as but undetermined. The coming celebration has not gone as far as that. What is assured, however, is the fact that the Liszt compositions on the part of pianists, orchestras, and choral organizations. One of the points in which Liszt is most bitterly attacked in his "transcriptions" of operas, his fantasias, arrangements that were so difficult technically that scarcely any one could execute them, and his own compositions. These began his career as a composer, and to the modern pianist and the piano lover offer unending fascination. The Liszt compositions now being brought forth and played alongside of his "Hungarian Rhapsodies," his "Alpine Rhymes," and his adaptations of his "Ave Maria" and "Hark, the Lark."

A piece of music that lies in a music cabinet in New York today and came from a firm in Albany about twenty years ago is interesting in a list it gives on one of its covers, "Catalogue des Oeuvres pour le Piano de F. Liszt." Possibilities that now only know Liszt by a few of his most famous compositions, such as his Hungarian music, may be aroused by the coming anniversary to his seventy-fifth birthday.

## CHIEF PARTISAN.

Saint-Saens, the French composer and critic, who is probably the chief partisan of Liszt as a composer, gives as among Liszt's greatest triumphs in this field the Liszt symphonies. He says, "Beethoven, the fantasist, on 'Don Quixote'—many things more are told of him. Only too much has been said of his success with the women of his day. His taste for princesses and all the exterior phrases of his personality. The influence of Liszt on the destiny of the piano was immense. To play like him on the piano would be impossible. As Olga Janina said in her strange book, his fingers were not human fingers. . . . Beethoven, scornfully ignoring the limits of nature, imposed his tyrannous will upon the strained and overtaxed fingers, but Liszt, on the contrary, takes them and gently exercises them in their own natural direction, so that the greatest amount of effect they are capable of producing may be obtained, and, therefore, his music, so awfully at first sight to the timid, is really less difficult than it appears; for by hard work the whole body is brought into play and talent is

rapidly developed. We owe to him also the invention of picturesque musical notation, thanks to which, by an ingenious disposition of the notes, and an extraordinary variety in presenting them, the author contrived to indicate the character of a passage, and the exact way in which it should be executed. Today these refined methods are in general use."

## WAS FASCINATING.

Somebody has said of Liszt that as a pianist he was "the most extraordinary and fascinating ever known." At an early age he had made his mark throughout Europe. At 25 years of age he became Kapellmeister to the Grand Duke of Weimar, and that German city was officially his home for the rest of his life.

It was not until 1865 that he became the Abbe. Long before then he had forced Richard Wagner, afterward the husband of his daughter, Cosima (the famous Frau Wagner of the present day), well toward the front by bringing out "Lohengrin" triumphantly on the Weimar stage and lending to the then unrecognized genius the enormous force of his own personality, no less strong because the Liszt battle was already under way, with the loud-voiced men against him as a composer ranged against his equally loud-voiced admirers.

The place of Liszt in music is as uncertain as ever. Saint-Saens, in his "Portraits and Souvenirs," which have been called "the best thing ever written on Liszt," says about the Hungarian Rhapsodies: "It is altogether wrong to say that they are merely brilliant show pieces; they are, in truth, a reconstruction of a whole nation's music, of the greatest artistic interest. What the composer had in mind when writing them was not technical difficulties, which did not exist for him, but picturesque effect, and the suggested imitation of the bizarre orchestra of the gypsies. In none of his pianoforte pieces is virtuosity an end but also a means. Unless the player looks at them from this point of view he misunderstands them and makes them unrecognizable."

## WRITES BRILLIANTLY.

What Liszt himself has to say is told brilliantly in his as yet untranslated book in French, "Des Bohemiens et de leur Musique en Hongrie," printed in 1859.

It is remarkable how few civilized musicians have attempted to penetrate the characteristics of the music of the Bohemians. Beethoven and Schubert have endeavored to transport into the sphere of their art some little grains borne by the wind from these flowers of music in the gardens of Hungary. Both Beethoven and Schubert lived some time in Vienna and were struck with the originality of these Bohemian melodies. During his visit that Schubert made in Hungary he transcribed one of the themes for the piano, giving it the title of "Divertissement Hongrois"—one of the best works. But Beethoven gave only scant attention to these exotic productions, and did not take the pains to penetrate their spirit. It is evident from the manner in which he treated the Hungarian motifs that he did not see in them an art different from any other. He took the fragments that he used and treated them like stones that had been broken and disfigured by rude and clumsy artists, and believed that he gave a value to them by applying our modern rules and methods. Neither of these composers ever had the idea that they were face with a magnificent monument which was worth studying, whose style was incomparable—something not to be restored, but to be copied.

If the Hungarian music is to be preserved and handed down to our descendants, it must be left intact. It must not be despoiled of its principal elements; its intervals and their incoherencies, its colorings, its vacillating rhythms. To change any of these would be like putting a Gothic tower upon an Italian palace or like flanking a Doric colonnade with an Egyptian sphinx. The art of the Bohemians should rest in isolated grandeur in the future as it has in the past. It should keep all its peculiarities and guard them zealously. Its perpetuation depends upon its remaining unchanged and unmodified like a triumphal column, or like a curiously chiseled funeral urn.



COUNTESS D'AGOUT, WHO INFLUENCED LISZT'S LIFE.

WANDERING POETS. "The Bohemians are the wandering poets of music—fingers of melody who stray from place to place, playing their songs one day in a palace and the next by a roadside hedge. They ask only an appreciative audience, and they seldom lack that in Hungary. Hungary, by the way, is the only country in Europe where the gypsy has a social status and is recognized by law and accorded certain privileges that have come down since the days of King Sigismund in the fifteenth century. Their music is mostly improvised, although there are certain themes that have been handed down for generations—themes based on the mysteries of nature; the coming of springtime, the rigors of the winter, the soft zephyrs of summer, the great passions of love, and hate, the pangs of birth and the sorrows of death. These have always served as the inspiration of primitive peoples. The Bohemian minstrel takes one of these ancient themes or melodic ideas, adds to it and varies it according to his individual taste or genius, or to meet the wishes of those before whom he is playing. These wandering musicians are welcome everywhere, and they play with equal skill and art at a peasant's wedding at a wayside inn and at some glittering festival in the palace of a Prince. Civilization has not dazzled or changed them. They are still a race apart in every sense.

Because each musician makes such melodies as float through his brain, because they have no written music, and day to day and even from moment to moment, as the player's passions shift from the tender to the tragic, the music of these Bohemians lives only in the ears of those who hear it. It has no historian, no transcriber.

Comparing this Hungarian music with ours, the first distinguishing feature is their system of modulation, which is based on a total negation of all systems. The Bohemians know nothing of musical dogmas, laws, or discipline. They do as they please, following their fancy wherever it leads. They are as bold in music as they are physically. They resort to no artifices or tricks. Art to them is a sublime language—a mystic chant that is clear to the initiated. They have invented their own music, especially for their own use, careless of all the rest of the world.

## ATTACK IS BRUSQUE.

They attack one tone after another brusquely, completely omitting the usual methods of transition. Before this salto mortale the spirit of our ordinary musicians stand aghast. They are tempted to cry, "It would be beautiful if it were good," forgetting that real beauty in music is only obtained when it is laid bare by being stripped of the fictitious adornments with which it has been overlaid. Our civilized musicians do not understand



LISZT AS A YOUTH.

what it means to be plunged suddenly into a fluid that instantly freezes or burns; they cannot comprehend the passing without preparation from one tonality to another that is far removed from it. It is this that makes the Bohemian a musical anomaly.

The three principal points which determine the character of the music of the gypsies are the use of intervals unknown in European harmony, rhythms essentially Bohemian, and a luxuriant tone coloring that is eminently Oriental. The analysis of these strange intervals would lead us into a maze of technicalities of harmony which would be incomprehensible to those who had not made a long study of music. The rhythms are more easily comprehensible. They are infinite in their variety and vary in shades of expression from the most ferocious violence to the dreamy lullaby of a mother cradling a drowsy child. They are as flexible as the drooping branches of a willow swayed by the breeze. Rare beauties result from this richness of rhythm—beauties unknown in our European art. It seems to me that each new fragment of gypsy music that I have discovered

shows a new form—some ingenious and unexpected and picturesque surprise, undreamed of before.

## TO BE COLOR.

"It is the same with their tone coloring. The tones flutter or soar like vivid butterflies, now resting with trembling wings, now rising in joyous flight, and again letting themselves be borne along by the swiftly moving zephyr. Their new bouquets of notes that fall as though from a horn of plenty; an odoriferous, iris rain of sound that converts itself into a vapor of rosy mist that intoxicates and envelops our senses. They are the snowy, scintillating foam of wave that rises like an amorous Nauton and breaks upon the heart with an expiring kiss; they are the sudden death of a melody of sound that converts itself into a vapor of rosy mist that intoxicates and envelops our senses. They are the snowy, scintillating foam of wave that rises like an amorous Nauton and breaks upon the heart with an expiring kiss; they are the sudden death of a melody of sound that converts itself into a vapor of rosy mist that intoxicates and envelops our senses. 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# A Talk With My School Girl Readers

*Beware of Acquiring Foolish Mannerisms, And Incorrect Positions In Standing, Sitting, And Walking While At School*

⑥ ⑥ ⑥ *It Will Require hard Work Later To Overcome Them If You Value Your Looks," Says*

*Lillian Russell*

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CONSIDER it a great compliment to have so many charming letters from school-girls who are reading my articles. I feel proud of the interest they all show by asking for my advice on how to grow up properly and become fine girls and lovable, intelligent women.

I cannot reply to each one separately, but I surely shall try to answer each one of your queries in this article.

You know, dear, busy, happy schoolgirls, that I at one time had the same difficulties to overcome which are bothering you at present, so I can sympathize deeply with you.

I am so delighted to be taken into your confidences, and I do thank you all for the many pretty things which you have written to me.

You must first understand the true meaning of beauty. It does not mean only a lovely face and figure—it means a kind disposition and a pure mind. There is far more beauty in the face through its expression than in the features.

## How to Have Nice Expression.

You ask: "What shall I do to have a nice expression?"

Well, you must have beautiful thoughts in your little heads. You must never have fits of anger, as did one girl who wrote to me. Headaches surely will be the punishment for that!

You must start to be cheerful from the moment you jump out of bed. Of course, you must "jump out"—children always do. As soon as you are out of bed, say: "Good morning, dear world! You are a lovely place to live in. God has given you to me and me to you for some good." You must say that, even though the sun is hiding in dark skies. God has reasons for sending the rain as well as the sunshine.

As soon as you are wide awake take your bath, in warm water if you prefer it. Dash a handful of salt into the water before you jump into it; the salt makes the water more soothing and refreshing. Finish your bath with a cold spray. Put the cold water on your face, behind your ears, and on your chest. The cold shock will make you strong. Dry with a rough bath towel. Then powder yourself with talcum. That closes the pores and prevents you from taking cold.

Dress quickly. Slip on a combing jacket or a kimono and then brush your hair 100 strokes, first on one side and then on the other, brushing vigorously. That exercise strengthens the arms and makes the hair glossy and beautiful.

## Smile Drives Away Sad Thoughts.

When you are completely dressed run down to your breakfast with a smile on your face. Always smile. That smile may drive away a sad thought from mother's heart or cheer up father before his hard, grinding day's work. Keep that smile continually in your thoughts—in your little heart.

Think: "I am happy and will try to make every one happy who comes into my life today."

Suppose you do feel a little bit of disappointment over your toast or oatmeal. You mustn't be cross. Just think to yourself: "At any rate, I will not make any one else unhappy over my disappointment." Smile at the maid, that she may love you for the kindly smile, and she will be sure to make it all right for you the next time.

When you get off to school, remember that smiles make happy thoughts come into your hearts for your teacher and schoolmates.

Be as diligent as possible over your studies; and believe always that your teacher knows a whole lot more than you do. She has worked years to teach you, and sometimes, if she appears cross or tired, just think something sweet about her.

Every good thought you can express to persons who are older than yourself will help them to feel happier and younger. You will see thus by making others happy that you are storing up happiness for yourself. Isn't that a nice way to do?

## Happiness Reward of Kindness.

During the recess period get about as much as possible, and, above all, try to make others good natured. If you see a girl keeping apart from the others, go to her, say something nice to her, share your fruit or luncheon with her. Make her smile. Do not, however, ask her questions about her home. She may have a sad one. Just do something kind. Your reward will be the happiness which will follow you the rest of the day.

When you have returned from school, suppose mother wants you to do some little task. Go quickly and do whatever she bids you to do. Do this with a loving smile. Never presume other to know more about taking care of your health than your parents do. They both love you better than any one else could possibly do.

When you wish to read, select a good book. Get your mother or teacher to help you. If you read a short, beautiful poem each day you will learn to think beautiful thoughts, and your face will reflect them.

Never quarrel with your brothers if they seem to be cross. Tell them if they are not careful they will



*If You Wish A Pretty Neck, Avoid The So Called Barrymore Pose*

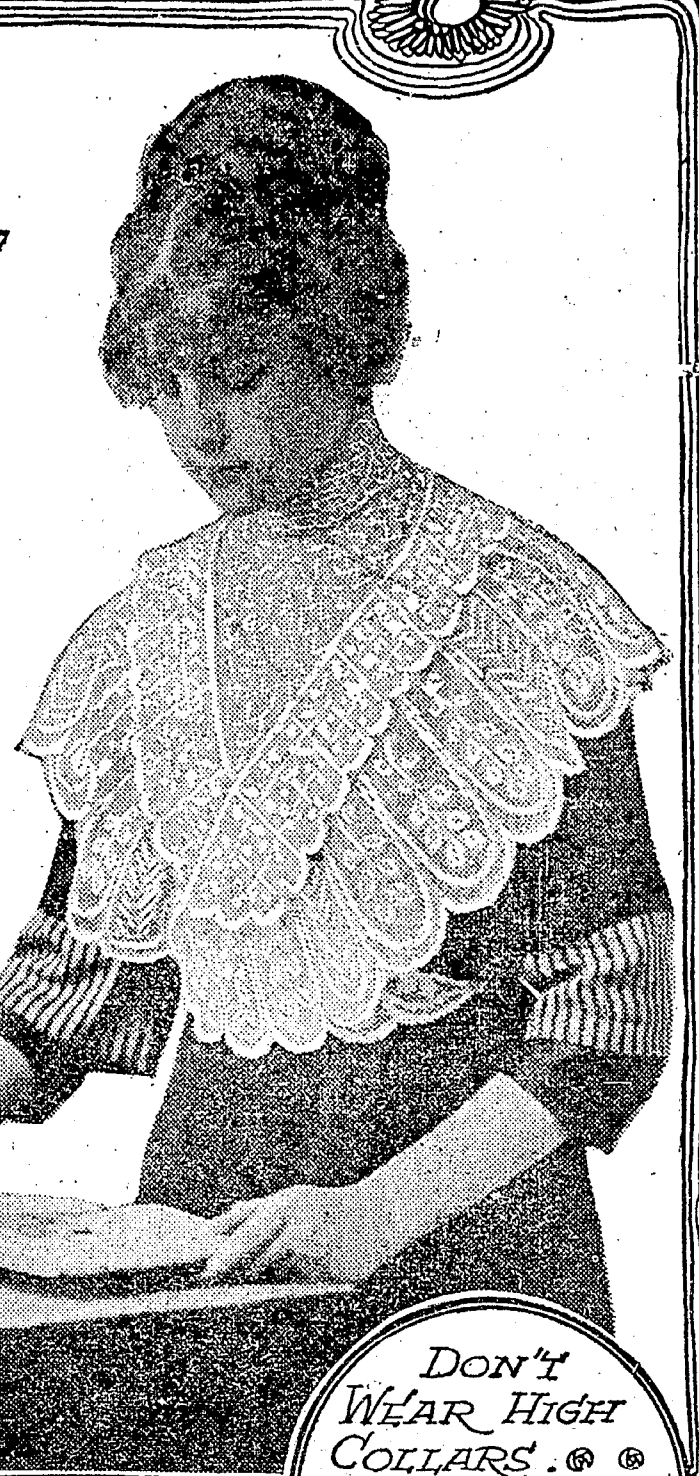
*Train Your Hair To Grow Well Over The Temples*



*Learn To Hold Your Head Correctly*



*Put Expression Into Your Countenance When Talking Or Listening*



*Don't Wear High Collars. They Cause Double Chin And A Yellow, Creased Neck*



*Dress Your Hair As Simply And Girlishly As Possible*

Never adopt elaborate coiffures. Keep the hair as simple as possible, but exquisitely clean and well groomed.

Never have a high polish on your finger nails. Have them well kept and just a touch of polish on them.

Never wear neckwear that is not absolutely fresh. This is one of the surest marks of the dainty girl we all so admire.

Never wear run down shoes. Such carelessness surely will enlarge the ankles and otherwise deform the feet.

Never walk on your heels. It will make you have an old appearing walk and make you stiff and awkward. It also will make you a heavy and unpopular dancing partner.

Never put your elbows on the table. It will coarsen the skin and will make hard, yellow spots on your elbows that will be most difficult if not almost impossible to remove.

## "Barrymore" Pose Detrimental.

Never stick your head out in front of your body. This so-called "Barrymore" pose is detrimental to one's carriage. Moreover, that charming actress never would be guilty of such an awkward way of walking. Hold your chin in close to your neck and your chest out, if you would have a beautiful neck.

Never swing your arms. Let them fall naturally by your side, and keep them as close to your body as possible. Avoid all swagger in your walk. It makes you masculine and unattractive.

Never talk in a loud voice. Though a girl be utterly devoid of good looks, an attractive voice may make her the most charming of girls. A loud voice is jarring and tells every one who hears it that you are not a well bred person.

Never be self-opinionated, if you wish to be loved. Don't argue. Don't quarrel. Don't contradict. Don't criticize. Learn to listen politely to others.

Remember: Ugly thoughts always make ugly faces. Sweet thoughts are the milk and honey of life.

## ANSWERS TO INQUIRIES.

S. L.: Have you ever tried to move your scalp with the tips of your fingers and found that it is loosely attached and will move easily? If it does not move easily,

then this is the cause of your hair falling. The scalp should be flexible, and to keep it this way scalp massage is necessary. Massage is the secret of keeping the hair healthy. It is easily done and does not require any amount of skill and is no great tax on either time or patience. When the scalp become adherent to the underlying bones or the skull the hair will lose its luster and become dead and begin to fall. By keeping the scalp loose and flexible it promotes a flow of blood to the roots and the hair follicles will be properly nourished. If you will send me a self-addressed, stamped envelope I shall send you complete instructions for scalp massage and an excellent hair tonic in which I have perfect faith. I cannot print the directions for the massage or formula for the tonic on account of lack of space, but shall gladly send it to you if you wish it.

MRS. J. W.: I shall be glad to send you formula for an excellent cold cream, which is good for cleansing the face. If you will send me a self-addressed, stamped envelope. Castile soap usually agrees with a thin, sensitive skin. Almond meal is a good substitute for soap, and it is cleansing and refreshing to the skin. I shall also send you formula for the skin food and instructions for facial massage, hair tonic, and complete instructions for scalp massage. The hair tonic may be used on a child's head as well as on a grown person's head.

MARGUERITE: Are you sure that your teeth are in good condition? Often this is the cause of an offensive breath. The following is an excellent wash for the mouth: One gram phenic acid, 25 grams boric acid, 30 drops thymol of mentha, 10 grams tincture of anise, and three pints distilled water. Rinse the mouth with this wash, using half of the tooth wash to the same quantity of clear water. Use after each meal and at any time required.

D. A.: Blackheads are usually caused from a sluggish circulation, indigestion, anemia, and are sometimes due merely to neglect. They must be coaxed out of the pores. They cannot only be easily removed without leaving a scar, but once rid of them they will not return again. Each night before retiring cleanse the face with a good cold cream, rubbing it well into the skin until nearly all has disappeared, then rub what is left off with a soft cloth. Wash the face with warm

water, not hot, as this will dry and yellow the skin, and plenty of good, pure soap—castile generally agreed with all skins—using a camel's hair complexion brush. Dry the face thoroughly and then cover with cold cream. In the morning cleanse the face with cold cream. Be careful of your diet; do not eat rich, greasy food or sweets. If you will send a self-addressed, stamped envelope I shall be glad to send you formula for an excellent cold cream, which will work wonders with the complexion, and also the green soap treatment for blackheads.

MRS. H.: Reducing the bust is slow and tedious work and must be accompanied by a diet besides the local treatment. Any vigorous exercise that involves the muscles of the chest will help to reduce the bust. Exercises with chest weights also are good. In the beginning the weights should not be over two and one-half pounds, and gradually increased to five pounds, according to the increase of your strength. Practice each movement from ten to fifteen times. Do not tire yourself, as this is more harmful than helpful. If you will send me a self-addressed, stamped envelope I shall be glad to send you formula for reducing the bust and also dietary for reducing flesh.

PEARL: If the growth of superfluous hair on your upper lip is light it can easily be removed by using one-third ammoniac and two thirds peroxide of hydrogen. The electric needle is the only effective remedy for superfluous hair; if the growth is light you can remove it yourself. If you will send me a self-addressed, stamped envelope I shall gladly send you formula for removing superfluous hair.

C. D.: Buttermilk is good for removing freckles. Wash the face just as you would with water, only using the hands instead of a wash cloth. Do this several times a day and allow it to dry on. Give this a fair trial, and if they are stubborn send me a self-addressed, stamped envelope and I shall send you a stronger bleach. Massage is good for plumping the arms and wrists. Cocoa butter is also good. To massage the arms, start at the elbow or wrist, and massage with wringing, twisting motion. Probably the reason for your hands being cold all the time is poor circulation. Take plenty of exercise.



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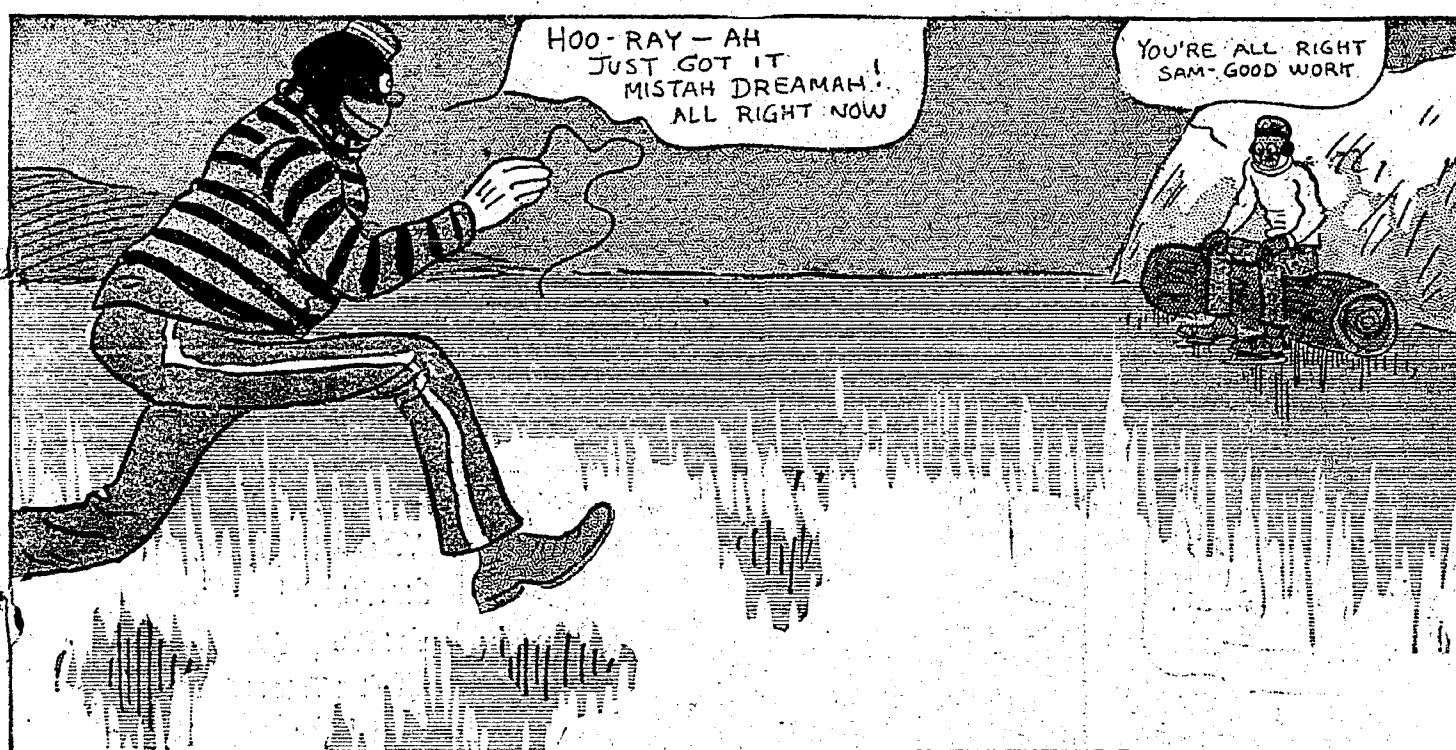


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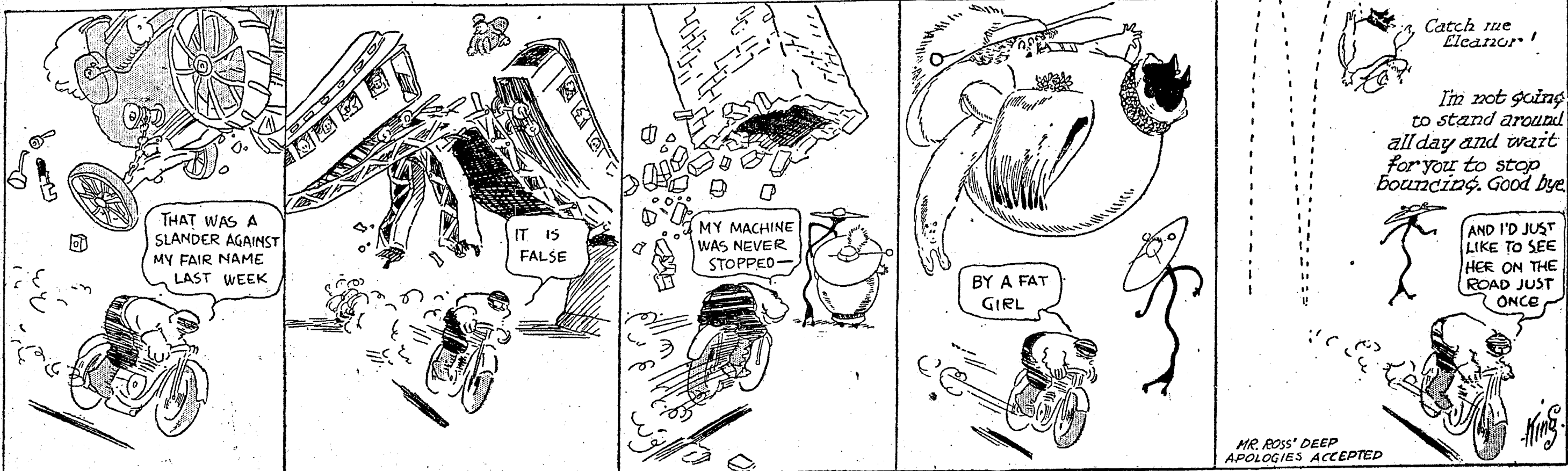
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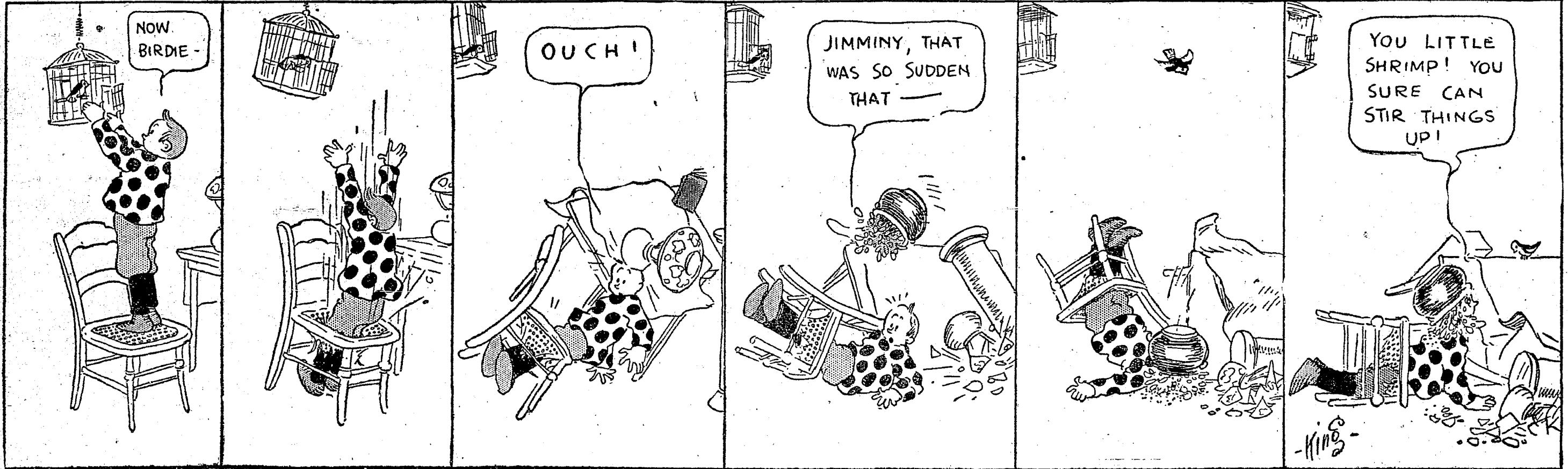
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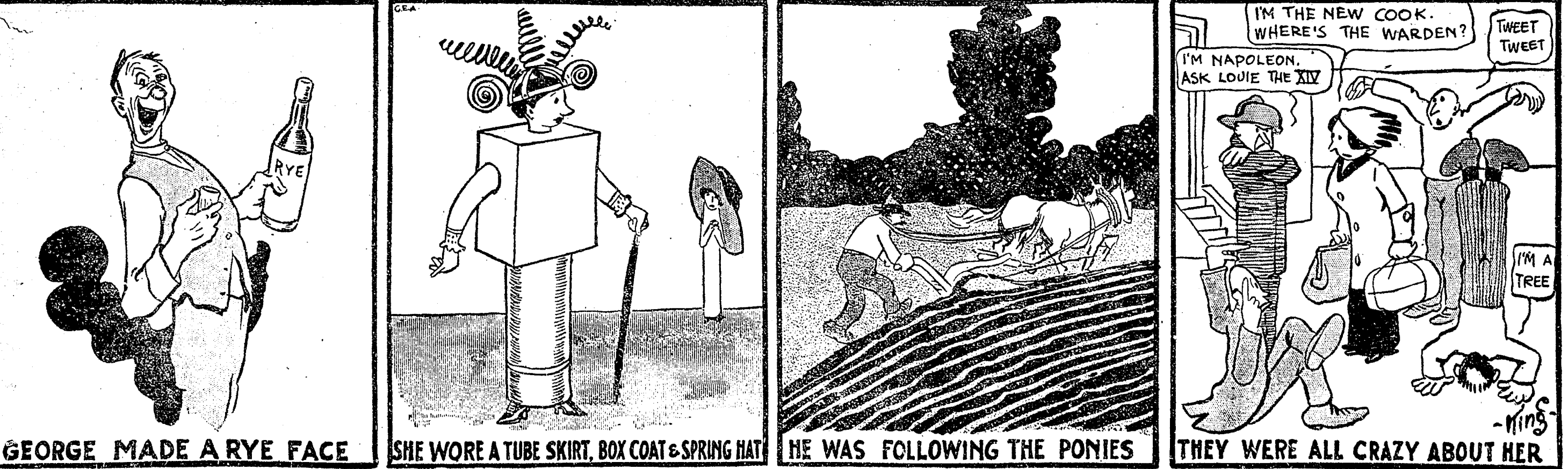
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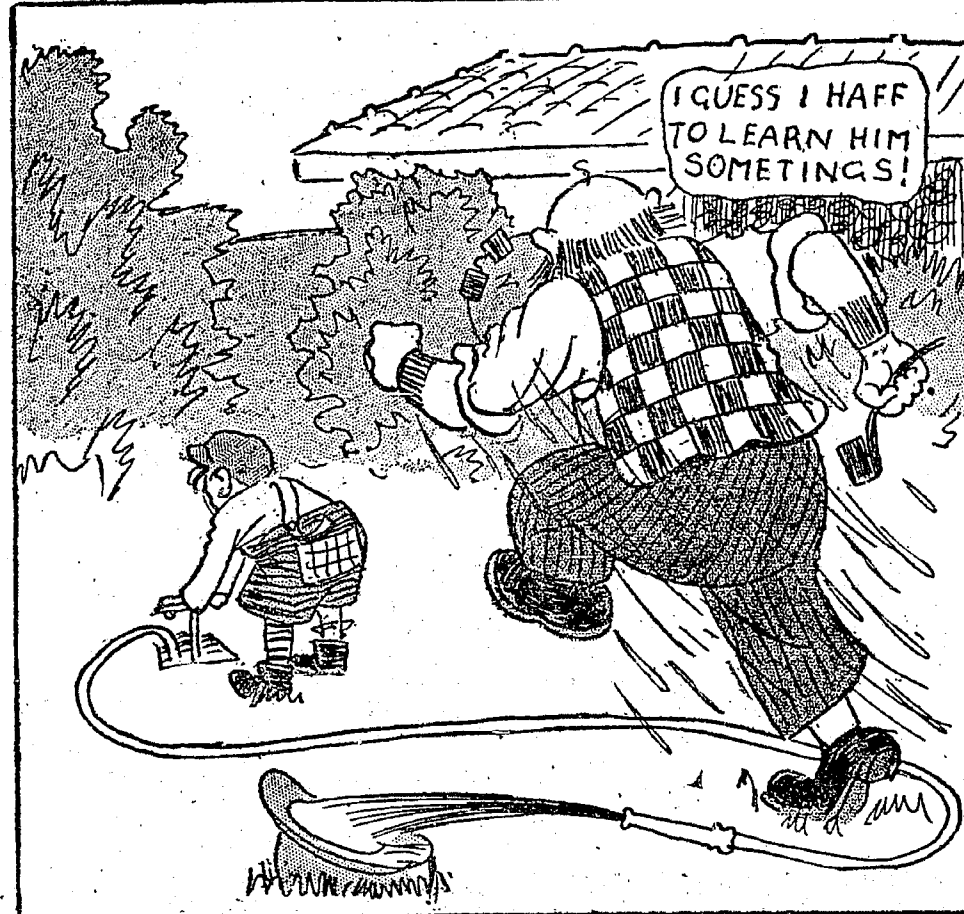
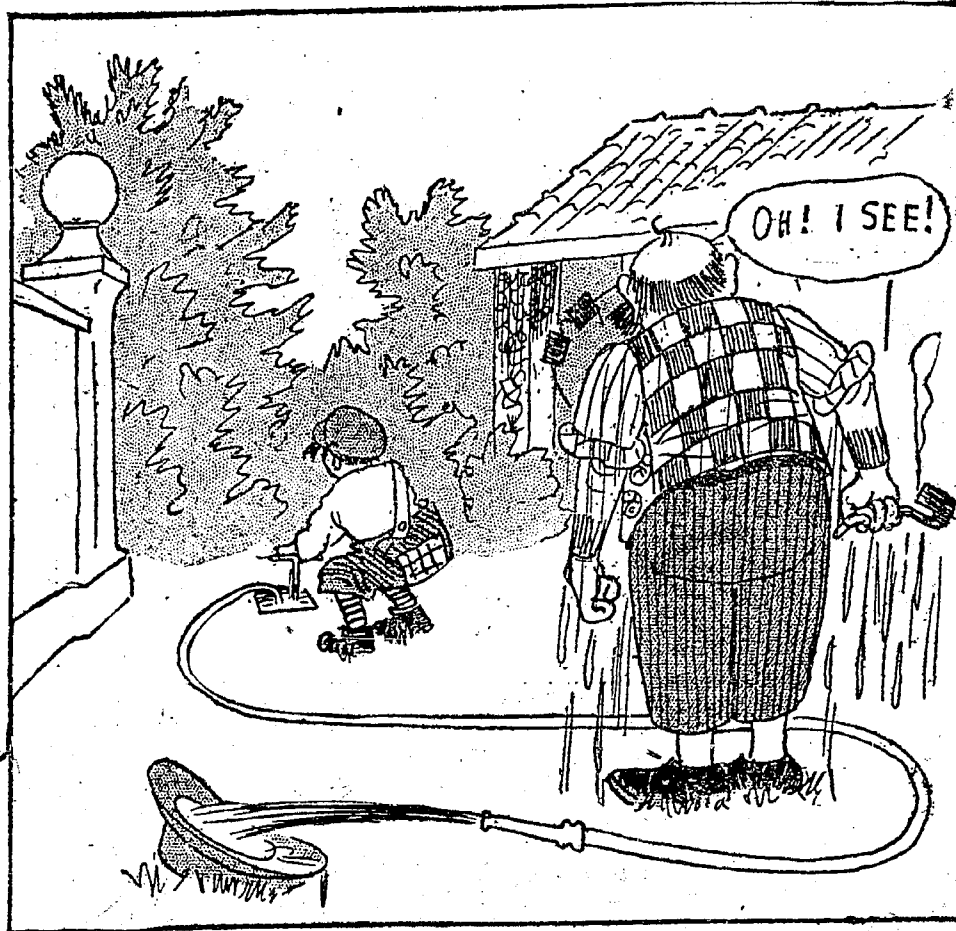
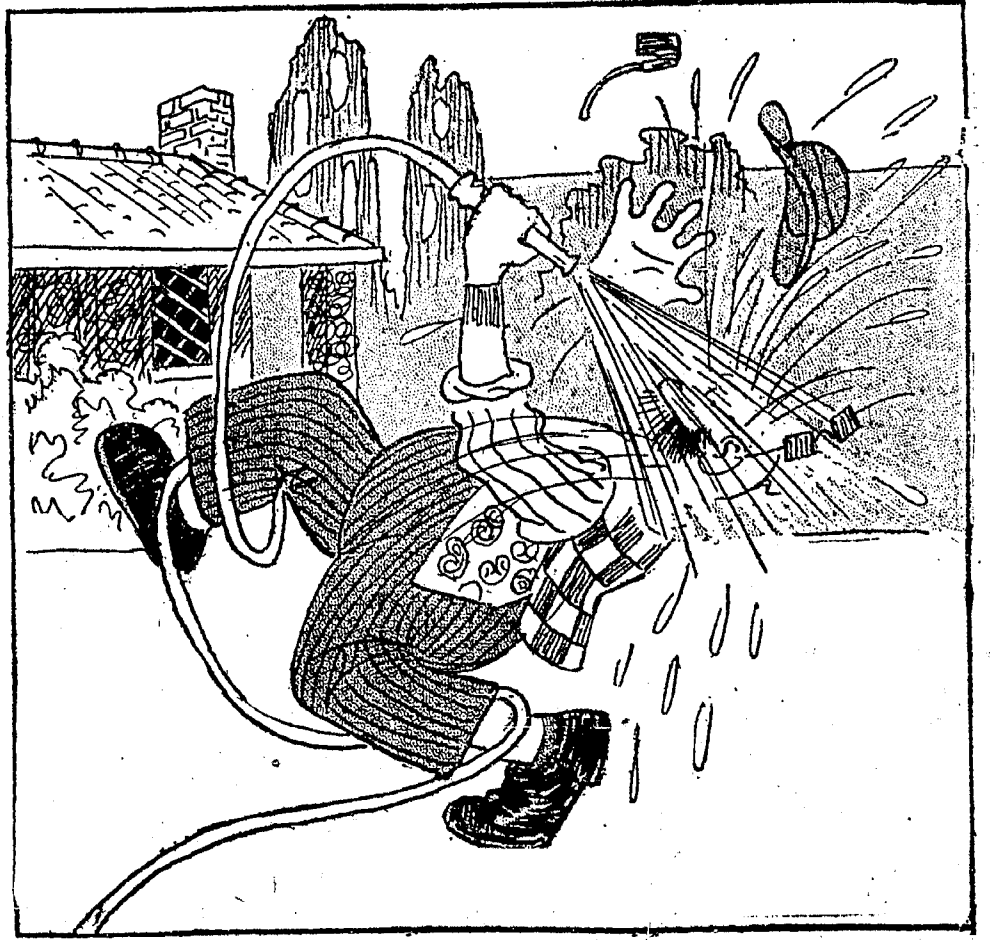
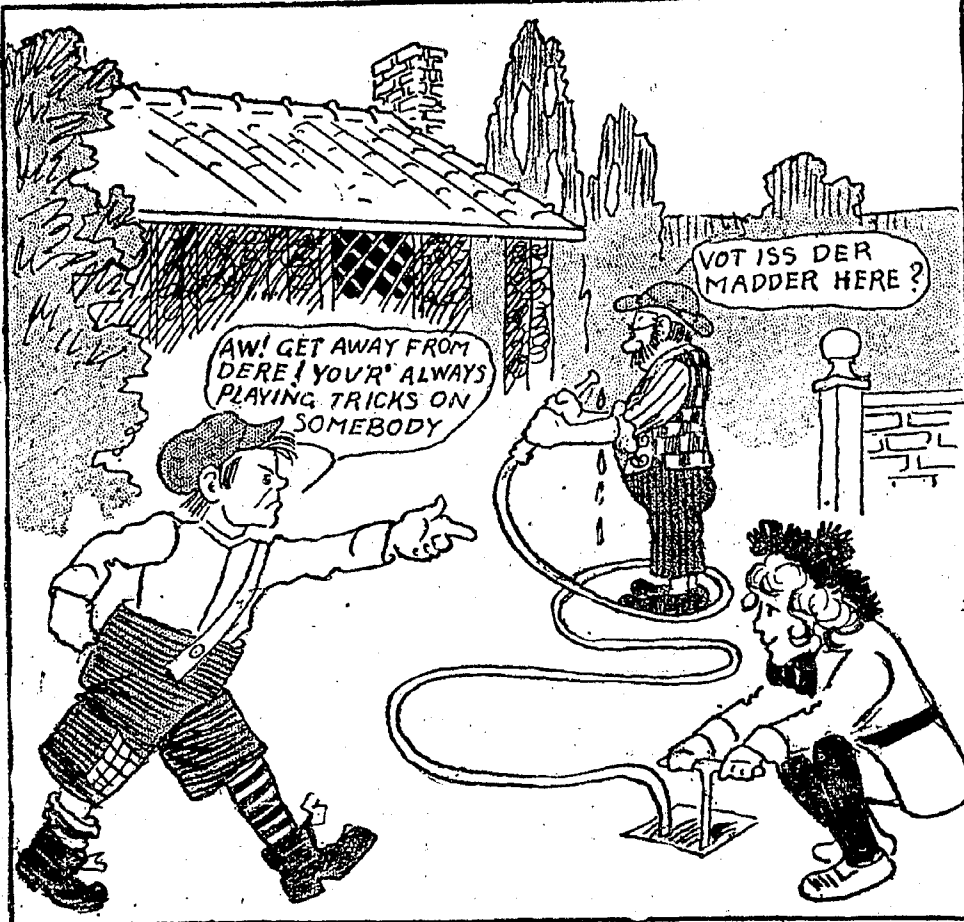
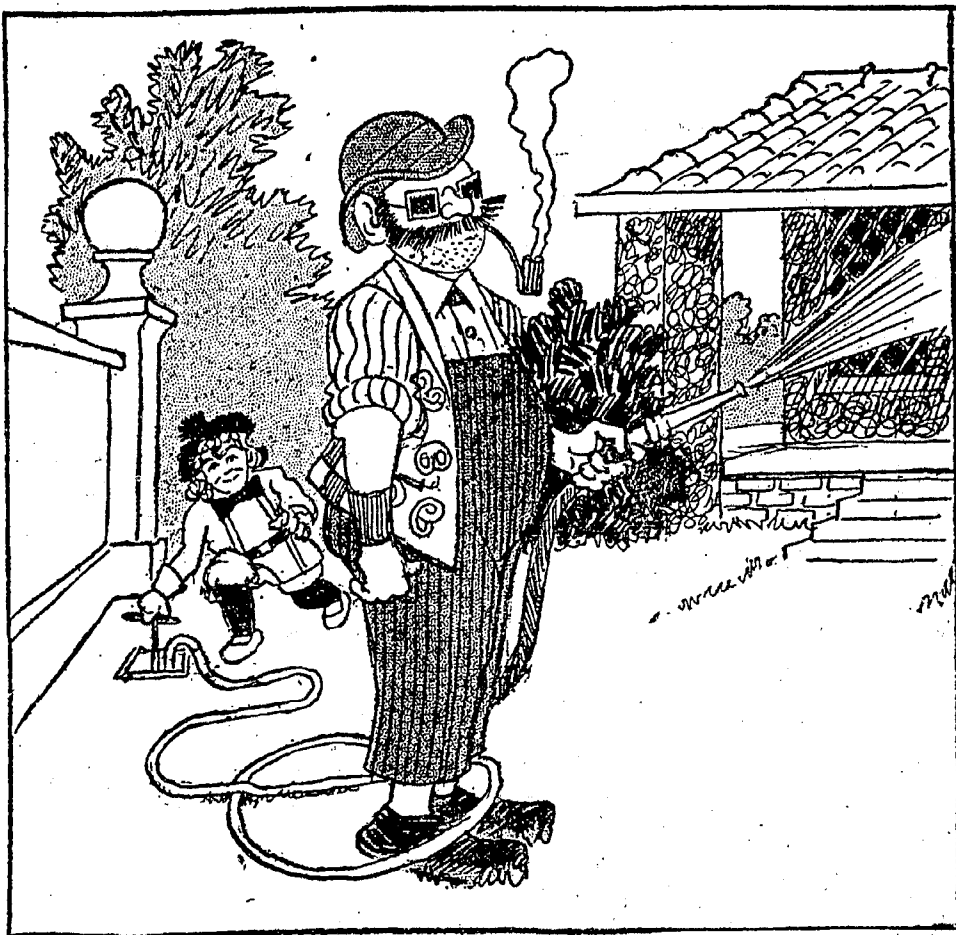


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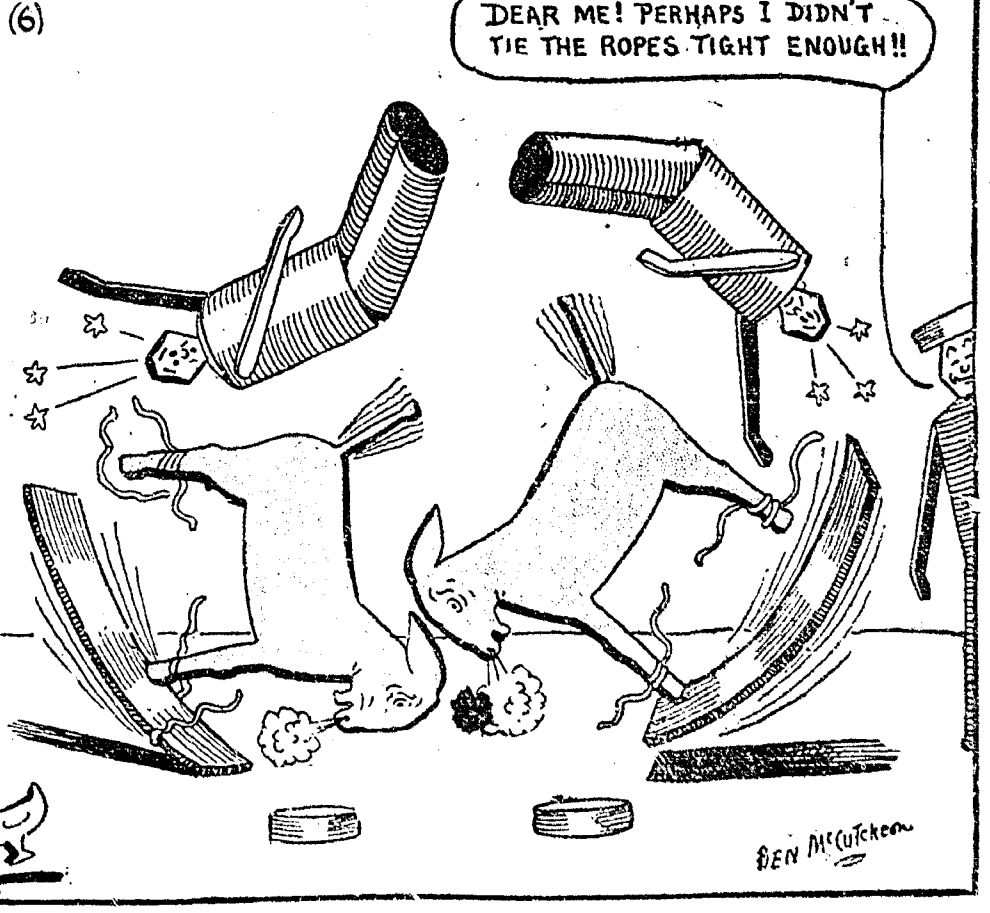
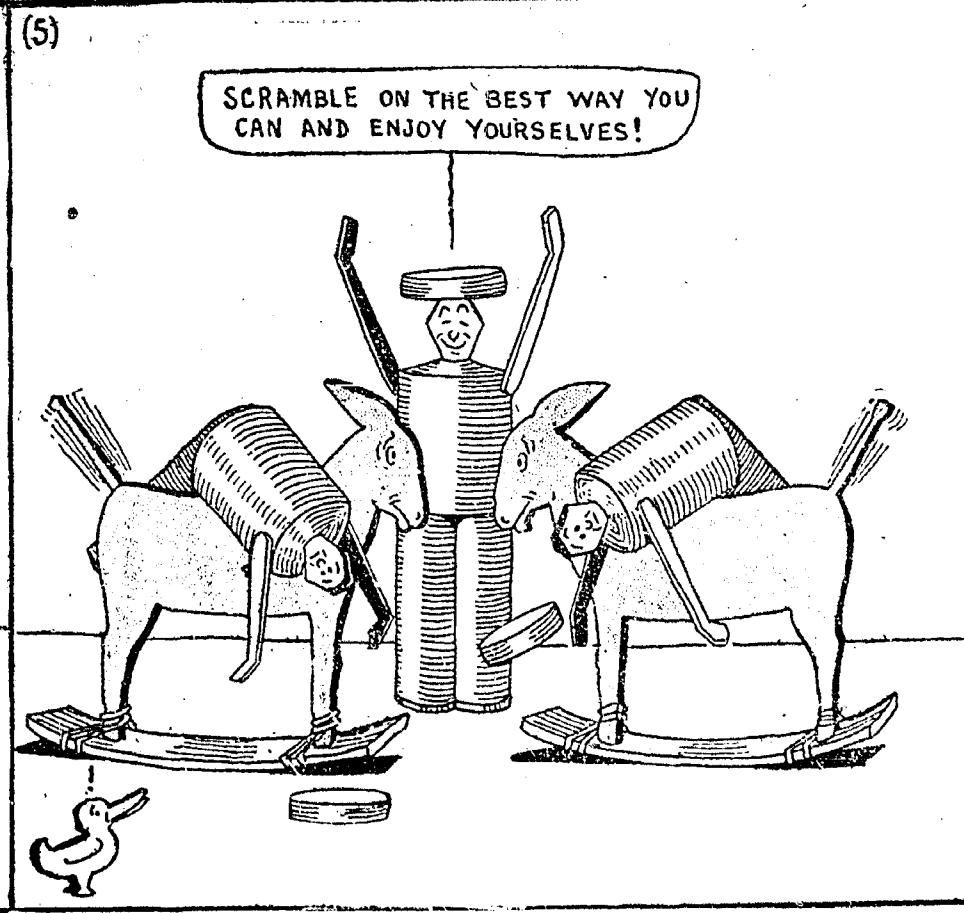
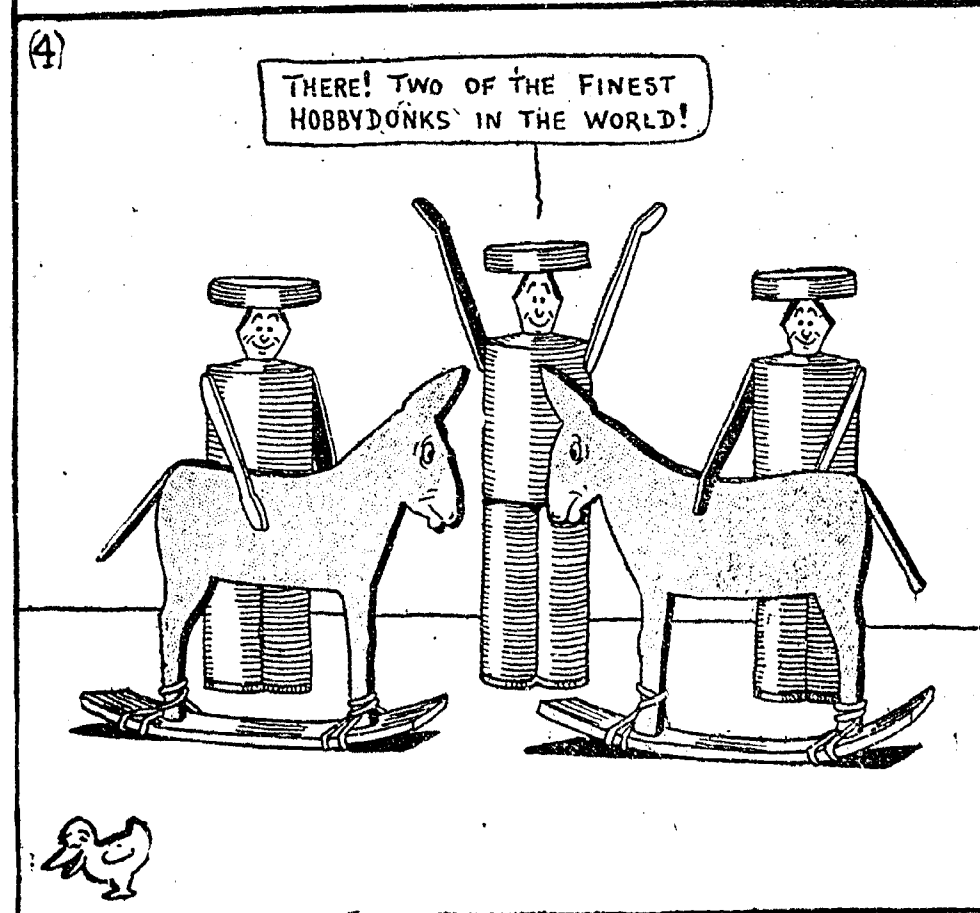
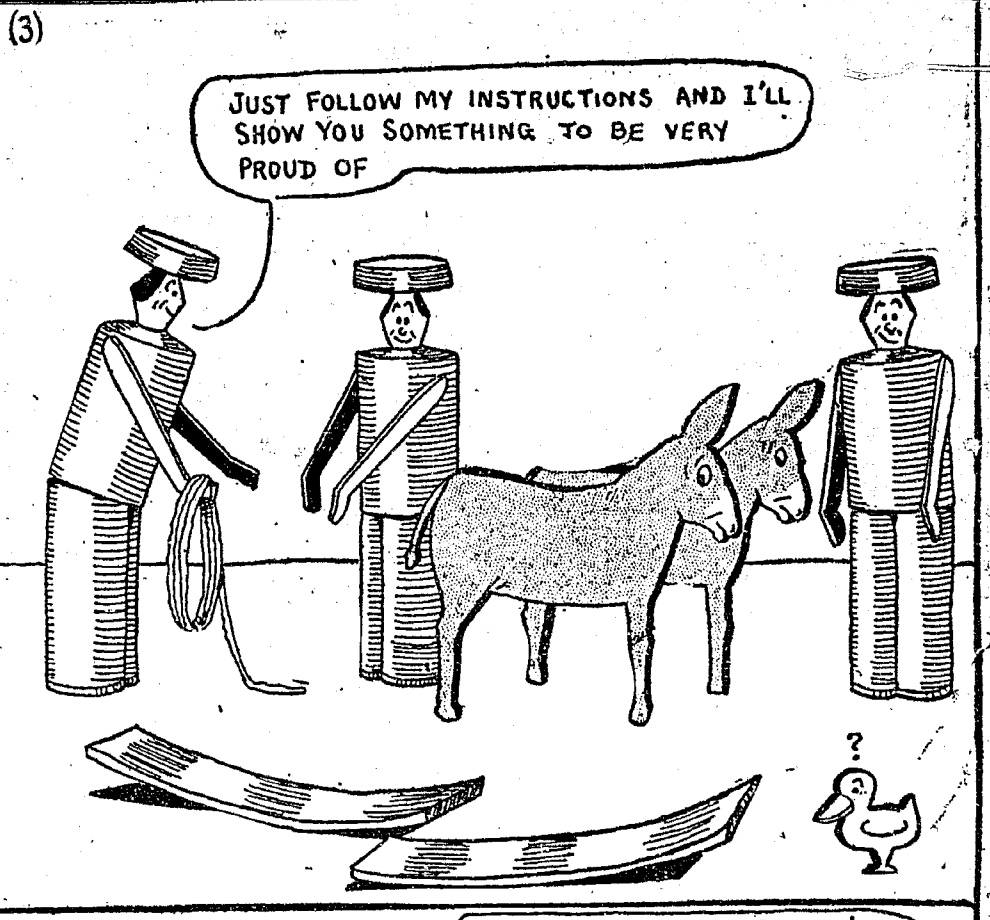
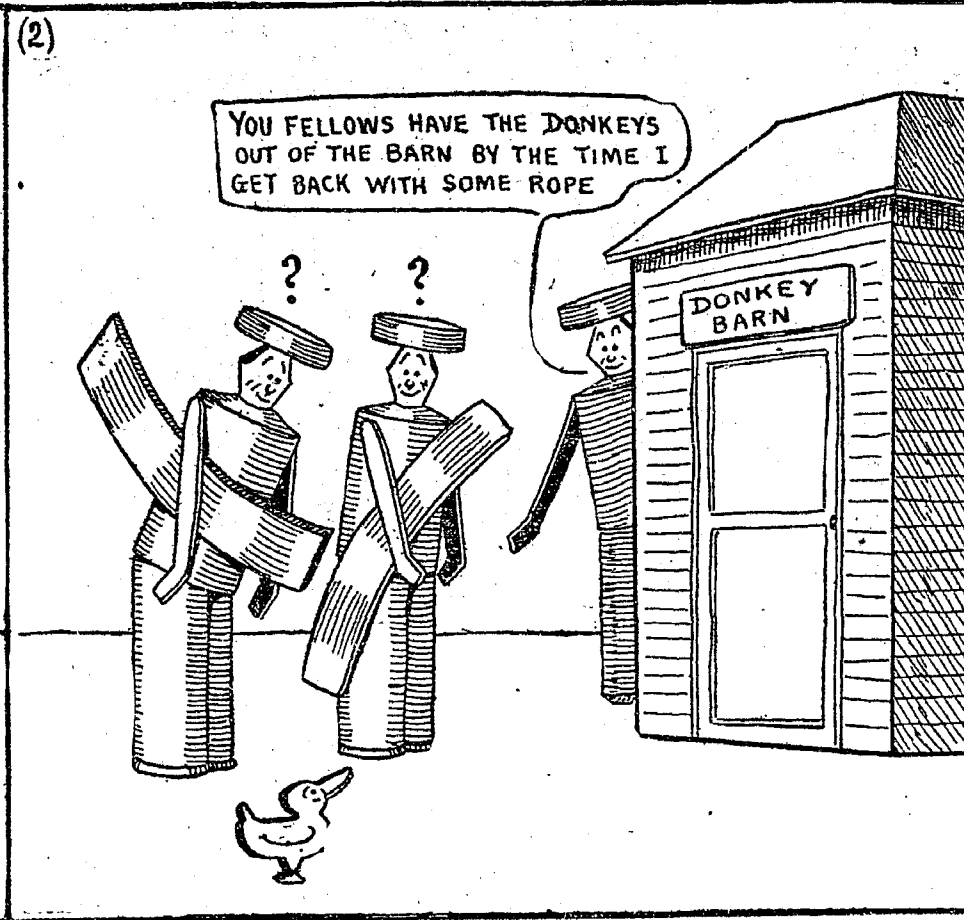
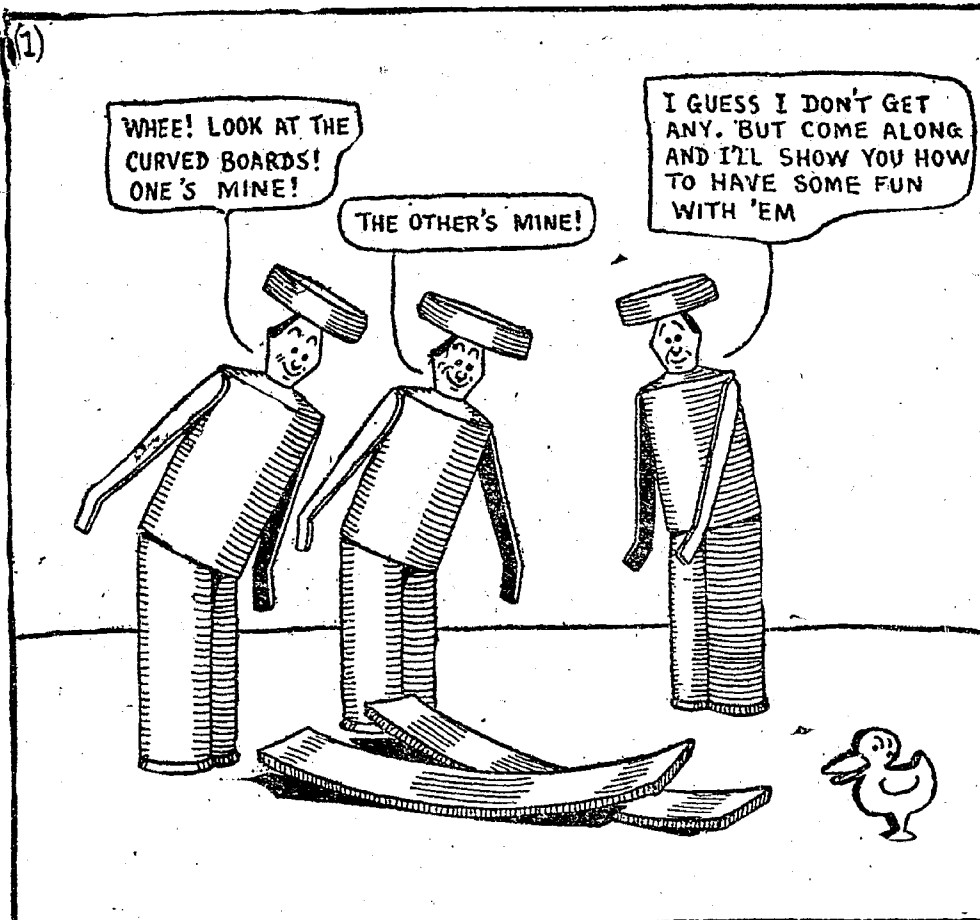




# THE ADVENTURES OF WILLIE AND BILL.



## THE NOAH'S ARK KIDS RIDE THE HOBBY DONKS



BEN MCCUTCHEN



# OLD OPIE DILLDOCK'S STORIES.

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I was way out west years ago when I was commissioned to deliver an important message. So with my old horse Jigger, I set out in a blinding snowstorm. At night it cleared and Jigger and I laid down in the snow and went to sleep.



When we woke up the following morning imagine our consternation at finding the snow had all melted during the night and ran down a mountain side, leaving Jigger and I stranded high in the air, in the branches of a tree.



An unusual thing that, to see a horse in a tree. I immediately set about getting down to the surface, however, and with this idea in view wrapped my heavy blanket about the old faithful Jigger, tying him firmly to a branch.



Then with my bare hands I started stripping off large slices of the heavy tree bark, trimming them neatly as I did so. I was quite a while doing this, because my fingers were numb, but finally I had enough to serve my purpose.



Dropping on the limb below the one on which Jigger was perched, I shaped the strips of bark into heavy snowshoes, which I fastened to the hoofs of the dear old horse, for we still had many miles to go over mountains and vales of snow.



This task being accomplished with dispatch, I balanced myself on the limb on which old Jigger peacefully reposed. Taking a good grip of the blanket about him, I raised him from the perch and lowered him as far as I could reach.



The snow, however, was fifty feet below us, and, being unable to carry the horse because of the weakness of the tree, I posed him in midair for a moment. Then with great speed we shot down and landed lightly upon the snow.



Jigger seemed to understand what the snowshoes were for, for he stepped gingerly upon the crusted surface for a few strides to test its strength, and then struck out with great speed. Within an hour we had reached our destination.

## MAMMA'S ANGEL CHILD IS A HARD PROPOSITION~

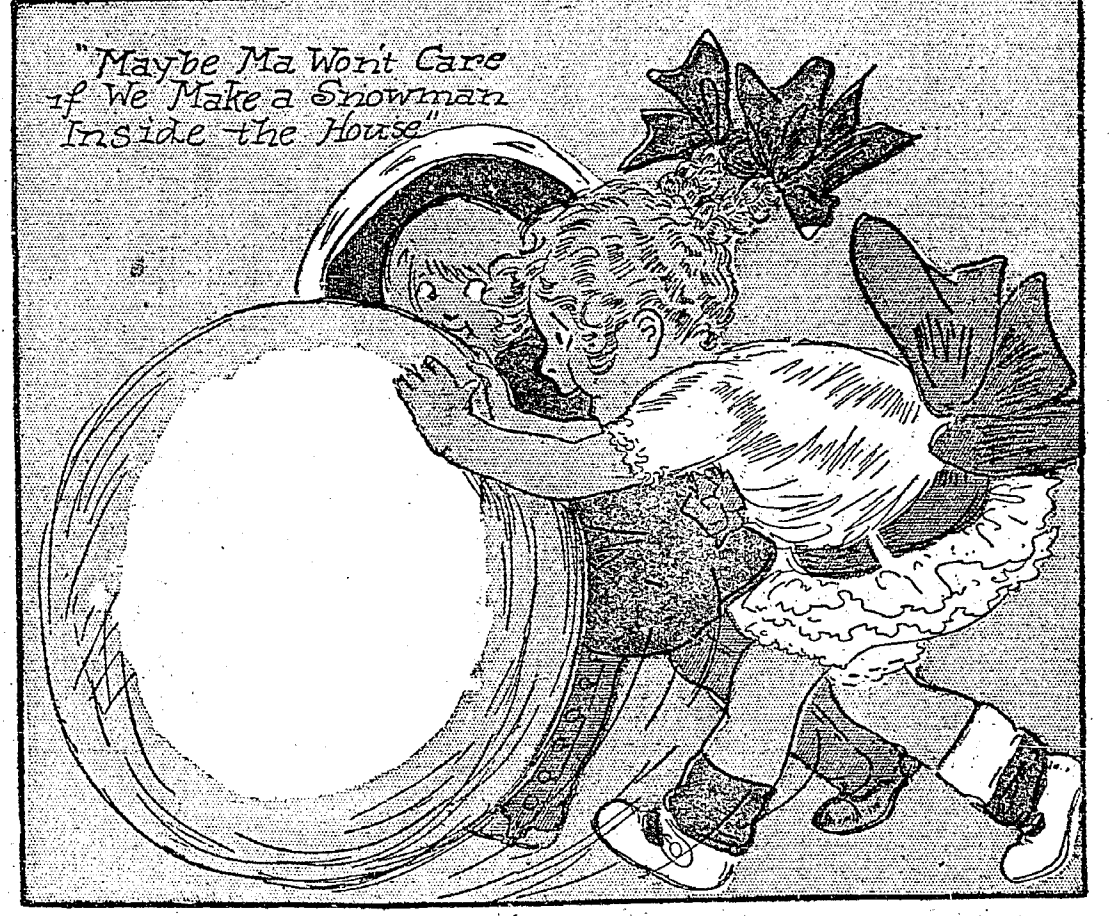


"Cook Says, You Won't Stay Out of the Pantry! If She Once More Reports You, I'll Tan Your Little Fat Legs Good!"



"Ma, WON'T LET ME!"

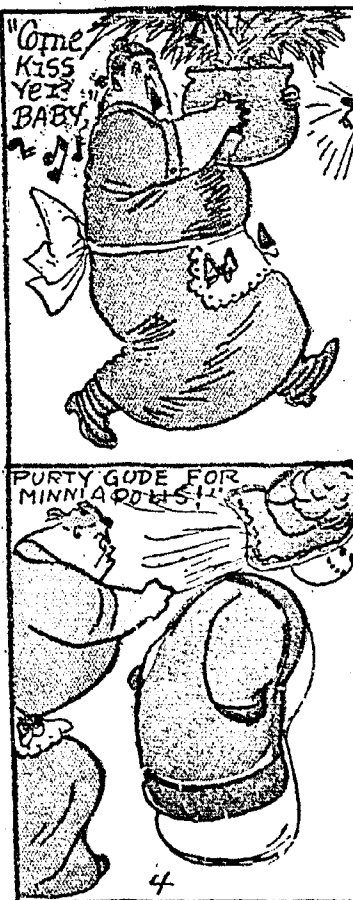
"Come On Out!"



"Maybe Ma Won't Care if We Make a Snowman Inside the House"



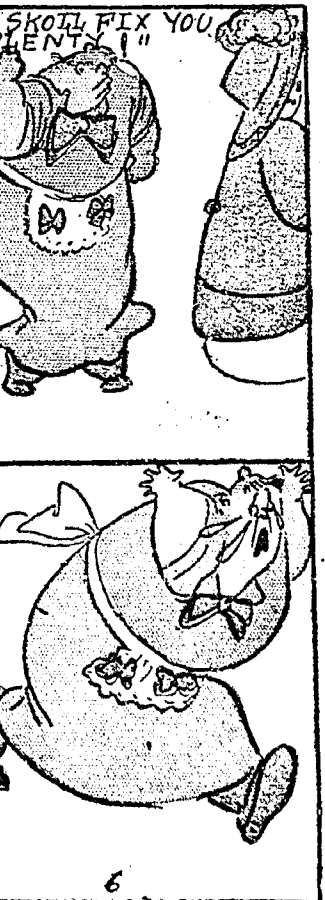
"O-o-o! Don't It Look Just Like Lily with Her Hat in Coat on It!"



"Come Kiss Me, BABY!"



"Somebody Steal a Four Swag, Girls Coat, Eh?"



"I SKILL FIX YOU, PRENTY!"



"OO! I DIDN'T WANTU KILL HER! NOW GET ARRESTED!"



"NO! DON'T, MAM! SO GLAD I AINT NO KILLER! I DON'T WANHER SPANKED!"

ROSS